# Downtown stores open late tonight

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WEATHER

Variable clouds with chance of showers today in the Valley. Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Lows in mid 40s to low 50s. Highs in the 60s and low 70s today, warming to upper 60s to mid 70s Friday. Northwest winds 15 mph today.

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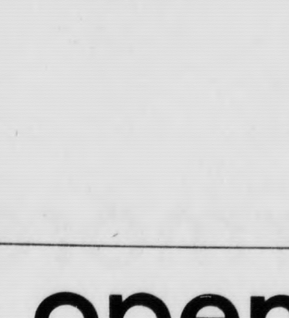
## *Twenty-four students play 'The Egg and I'*



"Cinnamon," left, the twins, and another egg-child from Dublin High teacher Joanne Fossum's (top right) parenting project in Family Living class.

## It's like this for young parents

DUBLIN— It is difficult for young people to understand the 24-hours a day responsibility that comes with being a parent.

The amount of stress that the transition to parenthood involves is influenced by the amount of knowledge and experience one has concerning the role.

For 24 students of Joanne Fossum's at Dublin High School, parenting for one week earlier this month was caring for an egg 24 hours a day.

As unorthodox as it sounds, the relationship of a chicken egg to a human infant soon moved from the stage of laughter, smirks and "the - teacher - has - flipped" reactions to serious concern (for each of their "babies") and even competitiveness.

The students in her Family Living Class were charged with the responsibility of watching over an egg for seven days. They had the opportunity to discuss and decide whether or not they wanted to be a parent, and what qualities they would like to have in their child.

Some students received a "child" of the opposite sex they had chosen, one received "twins"!

Parenting, as most quickly realized, is a 24-hour responsibility and students needed an "egg-sitter" if they were unable to be with their eggs.

Three of the students had their eggs break during the week and the class, made up of freshmen through seniors, determined in each case whether or not abuse was involved.

Of the three "deaths," one each was attributed to "child abuse," "murder," and "crib death."

All of the eggs - babies had names and "Cinnamon," the "child" of Sharon Freitas, was winner of the "beauty contest," which was based on costuming of the egg-child and fashioning of the crib.

Judges included assistant principal Alan Wadsworth and faculty members Betty Henry and Elsa Hazen.

It was at this point that competitiveness and possessive traits began to surface in some of the students.

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## *Reshuffling?*

## Supervisors, fair board tackle probe

The report covering County Fair operations will be discussed and some recomendations made, probably on the makeup and tenure of the Fair board, at a meeting of the board, Fair manager Lee Hall and supervisors Valerie Raymond and Fred Cooper Wednesday, June 8.

Announcement of the meeting, scheduled for the Fairgrounds' administration offices, was made by Hall Tuesday.

Though Hall would not shed light on what requests the supervisors might make, he said "I think you have to assume they will make some requests on makeup and tenure of board (County Fair Association) members."

He also opined that discussions June 8 would cover premiums on liability insurance.

Mrs. Raymond, who defeated 16-year incumbent John Murphy for the Valley-Fremont supervisorial seat, and Cooper originally called for the report on Fair operations.

In a cover letter accompanying the report to Mrs. Raymond, Cooper and the other supervisors, County Administrator Loren Enoch recommended that supervisors resolve any difference it has with the present methods of appointment and length of service of directors, prior to executing a new contract.

From past comments and actions, there seems a strong likelihood supervisors will move to take greater control over the board in the area of terms of service and board autonomy.

The present Fair Association contract with the county, which runs out in October, attempts to give the Association full authority to operate the Fair but keep control by budgetary means and assurance that the plant is properly maintained and operations are performed in an efficient manner.

Although salaries must be approved by the Board of Supervisors, the employment of personnel is the perogative of the Association.

When the county entered into its present contract with the Fair Association, it was contributing about $100,000 per year to the maintenance and operation of the Fairgrounds.

**—by Al Fischer**

## She accidently kills herself

A 42-year-old Pleasanton woman was found dead in her car on Monmouth Court early yesterday, apparently the victim of a self-inflicted accidental gunshot wound.

Police said Normah Harlan of 2166 Goldcrest Circle had returned from an evening with friends and was preparing to drive home about 5 a.m. Wednesday when the shooting occured. A .32-caliber automatic pistol was found near the body.

Officers said the victim was known to carry a gun for protection in her job as a saleswoman. There were no apparent signs of foul play. The police investigation is continuing.

## Saxby wants kidnap case dismissed

**Alameda County Bureau**

OAKLAND — The 48-year-old VA Hospital worker charged with kidnaping a 2-year-old toddler last March will move to have the case against him dismissed.

James Saxby, charged with kidnaping young Justin Bezis in what turned into the biggest search in county history, pleaded not guilty yesterday in Superior Court.

Public defender William Kessler will ask for dismissal of charges at a July 1 hearing. Kessler says there was insufficient evidence for the indictment.

Saxby faces a preliminary hearing July 8, and trial July 22.

Saxby ran into searchers about 11:30 that night and took them to his home where his wife Ruth was caring for the youngster.

Justin was unharmed and had been well cared for, deputies said.

Saxby told deputies he was on his way to work that Monday afternoon when he found the boy wandering in a field near Wente Road. He picked up the toddler and took him to his Norma Way home.

Saxby is free on $1,000 bail.

## Big winner

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## *Ecologists cite Stark*

Representatives Pete Stark (D-Oakland) and Ron Dellums (D-Berkeley) were two of only five congressmen to score 100 per cent for their votes on environmental and energy issues considered the most imortant by the League of Conservation Voters during 1976.

Congresspersons were evaluated according to votes on 23 key issues including land and water conservation, solar energy, offshore oil drilling, toxic chemicals and auto emission standards.

## *Fireworks ban pressed*

Sheriff Tom Houchins promises "vigorous" enforcement of the fireworks ban passed as an emergency measure by the board of supervisors recently.

Due to the extremely dry conditions and lack of water to fight fires, Houchins asks residents of the unincorporated areas to cooperate in the prohibition of fireworks, and asks citizens to report any violations.

Offenders are subject to a $500 fine and/or a six months prison term in Santa Rita Jail.

## *Mori advisors to meet*

Assemblyman Floyd Mori's Valley Education Advisory Committee will hear a review of the state's first year under collective bargaining at a meeting tonight at 7:30.

Speaker will be Jorge Haynes, assistant to the executive director of the Educational Employment Relations Board (EERB). The meeting is open to the public and will be held at the Amador-Pleasanton school offices at 123 Main St., Pleasanton.

## *More cuts doubtful*

## EBMUD picture brighter

OAKLAND — Unseasonal rainfall has brightened the picture for 1.1 million East Bay Municipal Utility District water customers.

John Harnett, EBMUD general manager told the utility's directors Tuesday that runoff in the district's watershed is running ahead of predictions, and if residents continue their conservation efforts, additional cuts may not have to be made.

Harnett reported that runoff for this year now is expected to be 115,000 acre feet — 50,000 more than the district anticipated in early April.

If the figures are correct, and if customers continue to conserve water at the rate they now are, the district could have a 56 billion gallon carryover at the end of the year.

Such a reserve would mean that even if the district has another dry winter, rationing could be continued at a "comparable" level to that now being imposed.

Residential households are being allocated 225 gallons of water a day in an effort to reduce district consumption by 35 per cent of last year's usage.

Harnett noted that so far in May, precipitation has been the equivalent of five inches of rain — two and a half times the nomral May precipitation of two inches.

The amount represents a third of the rainfall for the year.

The general manager said customers continued to "do well" keeping within their allocations. He said 95.4 per cent of all residential customers have been staying within their rations. In central Contra Costa County, where average daily consumption has in the past been more than twice the district average, 95 per cent of all residential customers are within their allocations.

Businesses and other users are having a harder time coping , he said.


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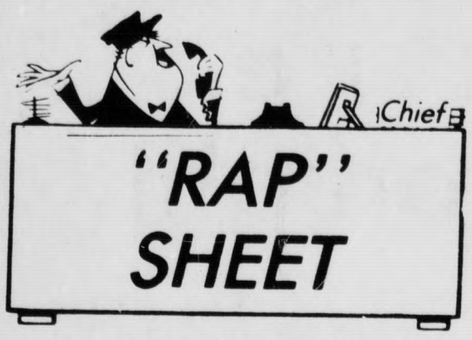


**Convicted thief escapes Santa Rita Jail**

PLEASANTON — A convict with less than one month left on a 45-day jail sentence for petty thievery hopped a fence surrounding the minimum security compound and escaped Santa Rita Jail Tuesday night.

John Taylor Friesen, 26, convicted of petty theft charges arising from a Berkeley incident, was reported missing early Wednesday. He is described as a white man about 5 feet 11, 150 pounds with blonde hair and blue eyes.

Friesen had no known local address.

**Two shoplifting suspects arrested at Safeway**

PLEASANTON — Two men suspected of shoplifting a fifth of whiskey from Safeway's Amador Shopping Center store were arrested by the store's security guard Monday evening.

A bag-boy watched the two men enter the store and walk directly to the liquor department. One man allegedly placed a bottle of whiskey in his coat. Security was alerted and the two suspects were arrested as they prepared to drive away.

Booked on suspicion of felony burglary were Glen Ray Scheiding, 22, of 4230 Waycross Ave., and William Joseph Authier, 21, of 2424 Raven Road, both of Pleasanton.

**Cow shot on Dougherty Road; suspects sought**

DUBLIN — Sheriff's deputies are searching for suspects in the shooting of a cow on Dougherty Road Monday afternoon.

The dead cow was found about 4 p.m. Monday. Deputies said it had been killed with a single shotgun blast to the shoulder.

A witness told officers he was following a car and watched a passenger in the vehicle fire a shot at the animal. The vehicle sped away and no arrests have been made.

**Tires, wheels taken from auto parts business**

LIVERMORE — Burglars took four tires and wheels from a lift frame in the rear of Del Valle Auto Parts at 3505 First St. Tuesday, police reported.

Owner Richard Winters said this was the latest in a series of thefts and vandalism at the location. Missing are four wheels mounted with 12-inch pneumatic tires. There are no suspects in the $200 theft.

# Livermore seeks recycling aid

LIVERMORE — City hall is putting out the call for volunteers to serve on a recycling task force.

The new committee was approved Monday by city council, which is expected to select the nine member group by mid June.

The task force was created to develop policy recommendations on how to achieve the state mandated goal of a 25 per cent reduction in refuse volume generated by residents and businesses in the city by 1980.

Two at-large members from the community will be selected, as well as representatives from the Livermore Recycling Center, the city energy committee, the chamber of commerce, the League of Women Voters, one of the local homeowner's associations, the senior citizens club and the ecology center.

A representative of the Oakland Scavenger's local operations will serve as a non-voting, ex-officio member of the task force and city will provide staff assistance.

Applications are available at City hall, First Street and Livermore Avenue, and people have been requested to submit their names as soon as possible.

Unless otherwise authorized by council, the task force will disband by next June or three months after the city starts a source separation recycling program, whichever comes first.

Some things the group will look at are methods of collecting recyclables at people's homes, means of financing both collection equipment and collection operations, and incentives to encourage local participation.

The task force is scheduled to file a report with council mid November, when a second phase would involve promotion of the specific recycling method adopted by council.

Members of the task force will serve without compensation, although reimbursement of appropriate and reasonable expenses is provided.

For additional information, call 447-2100.

**Art students honored**

East Avenue Intermediate School industrial arts student David Sampson receives a framed certificate and a congratulatory handshake from his principal, Charles Lindemann, at Wednesday's Rotary Club luncheon at the Rancher. The luncheon honored 16 industrial and vocational education students, including: Terry Bell, Linda Leong, Nina Anne Casareto, Olimpia Lopez, Dan Lyons, Renee Contratto, Phyllis Tillman, Garry Leyer, Laurie Swanson, Mark Webb, Sue Davies, Kathryn Mendence, Jill Eckrote, Steve Sinchak and Julie Loggins. (Times photo)

# Church clings to play field

**Alameda County Bureau**

HAYWARD — St. Phillip's Lutheran Church in Dublin gained three weeks of breathing room in the battle to preserve its softball field.

County Zoning Administrator Richard Flynn continued to June 8 a request by neighbors to pull the conditional use permit that allows the field at 8850 Davona Dr.

Flynn said he held it over because the opposition did not show up for Wednesday's meeting, and he "can't stand a one-sided argument."

But he did grant a variance to Stanley and Phyllis Diamond to build onto the back of their 11641 Amarillo Ct. house and cut the required set-back from 20 to seven feet.

Flynn said he went along with the request on condition the couple not encroach further on the required open space in the neighborhood.

He also approved Michael A. Gamblin's application to use a mobile home temporarily while he builds on property at 2650 Bess Lane near Livermore.

County ordinances allow mobile homes as temporary use for up to a year. Flynn said the job would be completed "well within that time."

# Mini-storage foes hit plan for Dublin

DUBLIN —The R.T. Nahas Company will not build a ministorage facility across from the Heritage Center on Donlon Way if a group of Dublin preservationists and homeowners can prove why the proposed project should be abandoned.

Robert T. Nahas and his representatives met with community members yesterday afternoon at Homestead Savings in Dublin to discuss the issue.

Objectors to the storage facility claim it would ruin the historic atmosphere Heritage Center is trying to preserve. They also say it would be an eye sore on Interstate 580's approach to Dublin.

Nahas said his company would be willing to do everything possible to screen the facility plus make it compatible with present surroundings.

"Our company prides itself on getting along with communities," he said. "If you can convince me putting up the mini-storage facility is the wrong thing to do, when we leave here today we'll drop the subject. This isn't a life or death matter with us."

He pointed out the proposed low-profile storage yard would present fewer problems than other types of business that could be put on the property.

The property is zoned to admit only hotels, restaurants or service stations.

Members of the Dublin Historical Preservation Association said they had hoped to purchase the entire seven-acre parcel in the future.

Nahas Company has an option on the frontal portion amounting to 4.33 acres.

Other community members at the meeting conceded the mini-storage operation would be better than other alternatives.

—by Sue Vogelsanger

*SR issue*

# Kennel won't fit image

**Lesher News Bureau**

MARTINEZ — The county Planning Commission decided Tuesday night that a commercial dog kennel wouldn't fit into the "rural character" of the San Ramon area.

Commissioners voted 5-2 to deny an application for the establishment of a dog kennel and grooming shop on Bollinger Canyon Road after hearing protests from numerous residents of the area.

Among the cheif complaints from those who spoke were that approval might set a precedent for the development of commercial activities in the area and that the dogs staying in the kennel, which would have accommodated 34, would bark too much.

The commissions denial came despite recommendations for approval from the San Ramon Valley Community Planning Committee and the planning staff.

# Valley obituary

*Violet Lucas*

Violet Louise Lucas, 48, a native of Missouri and 12-year Livermore resident, died Monday.

She is survived by husband Vern and children Pat, Bob and Greg Lucas, all of Livermore.

She also leaves parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Conley, and brothers Ralph and Robbie Conley, all of Missouri.

She was a member of the Sempre Fidelis Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, and the Demolay Mothers' Club of Livermore.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m., Saturday, in the chapel of the Livermore Mortuary, 3070 East Ave.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. Thursday and Friday.

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# San Ramon voters face tax measure

Voters in the San Ramon Valley Unified School District will be asked to approve a maximum tax rate increase of 59 cents, when they go to the polls on Tuesday.

The ballot measure calls for public support of the tax increase to finance specified projects in the district, under the lease-purchase program.

Improvements planned, if the measure wins a simple majority on Tuesday, include renovation of existing buildings and constructing new shops and facilities at Stone Valley School; building two starter elementary schools, one at Alcosta and Bollinger Road in San Ramon and the second in Tassajara, near Blackhawk Ranch; building an 850 student intermediate school on the Tibros site; erecting a second continuation high school on San Ramon Valley Boulevard, north of Montevideo; and completion of the two existing high schools.

The latter would include completing the air conditioning providing for a swimming pool, building a career center and some site development at Monte Vista High School; providing a music facility, an office complex, counselor's quarters and some site work at California High.

The district estimates that of the 59 cents asked for, an estimated 54.4 cents will be levied, to raise the necessary $1.5 million required for architectural fees, planning costs and furniture and equipment for the specified improvements of additions.

Of the total $17,729,000 estimated cost for the entire package, it is planned to go to two bond issues to finance actual construction.

The SRVUSD plans to offer two sites for sale, the nine-acre Sycamore parcel and 15 surplus acres on the Tibros site, which it is anticipated would raise $600,000 in revenue. This amount, plus possibly the $200,000 already collected in developer's fees, could be used to plan the Montevideo portable school, which is needed to house 250 students in the fall; plus doing advanced planning on the permanent schools at Montevideo and at Twin Creeks, the second continuation school and the work at Stone Valley.

Due to rapidly rising costs, the district administration feels the advanced planning would save approximately $200,000. If the tax increase passes Tuesday the funds expended out of the sale of the surplus sites.

Officials estimate the 54.4 cent increase would cost the taxpayer 13 cents per $100 valuation because the requirements of Senate Bill 90 will reduce the present tax rate by approximately 41 cents, leaving a net increase of 13.4 cents.

Under provisions of the lease-purchasing financing, if the measure is approved, the resulting funds must be used for the purposes stated on the ballot argument, and work must begin within three years following approval by the electorate.

## Cal High award

Willie Huff, student body president at California High School in San Ramon, received the coveted Principal's Award at the school's annual awards assembly held Wednesday at the school. Presenting the award and certificate is Barbara O'Rand, a counselor at the school. Receiving the Principal's Award for being selected the most outstanding female senior was Debbie Claassen. Students were awarded certificates for highest achievement in many areas including English, social studies, science and mathematics as well as other curriculum subjects. Bev Carter, Sue Cramer, Ron Pacheco and Francis Halpin were named school-community citizens-of-the-year.

(Times photo)

# SR school merger hit

The rich would get richer and the poor poorer, said opponents of the Walnut Creek School unification proposal.

According to figures presented Wednesday by the Acalanes Union High School District to the county Committee on School District Organization Walnut Creek would end up with a district 73 percent richer in assessed valuation per student than the Mt. Diablo Unified School District, the committee said.

The proposed district would be 26 percent richer than the Acalanes district and 35 percent richer than the San Ramon Unified School District, said the committee.

Gwen Regalia, chariman of the Citizens Committee for a Single Walnut Creek School District, led supporters of the plan.

She said the citizens' committee spent hundreds of hours collecting more than 12,000 signatures to present to the board, and the people of Walnut Creek should be allowed to decide their own destiny.

The proposal would take students and buildings from five existing school districts, along with assessed valuations, to create a unified Walnut Creek district. It would not decrease the number of existing districts.

Affected districts include Lafayette, San Ramon, Mt. Diablo, Acalanes, and Walnut Creek Elementary District.

Edward Best, San Ramon Valley trustee, said his district already has a higher tax rate than Walnut Creek, and it isn't fair to take facilities and resources away From San Ramon.

He said the San Ramon school district is growing and needs more facilities, while the Walnut creek area faces declining enrollment.

Best said limiting the election to Walnut Creek would allow those residents to decrease their taxes by increasing taxes for others.

Warren Eukel, Walnut Creek trustee, said only those citizens in the proposed school district's boundaries should vote — "We don't owe taxes to our neighbors," he said.

## Students and their offspring

Cont. from pg. 1

"Lots of the kids were possessive of their 'child,' " remarks Mrs. Fossum. "They wouldn't let others touch their child. One student, afraid her egg might break if she left it in a P.E. locker, paid another student a stick of gum to 'egg-sit' ".

The one whose egg "died" of "crib death" went to her refrigerator at home and "adopted" an egg-child.

To further inculcate students with the responsibilities of parenting, Mrs. Fossum had a representative of Alameda County Adoption Services speak to the class and required students to make "appointments" with her, serving as the well-baby clinic.

One student was assigned to contact a funeral home to learn, for the entire class's benefit, what the procedure and costs were for infant funeral services.

Mrs. Fossum believes a vast majority of the 24 eventually took the project seriously.

While some said they would just throw the eggs away at the conclusion of the project, others felt they would keep their babies at least for a few more days or, being completely practical, make a pin hole in either end and blow out the contents ala an Easter crafts project.

—by Al Fischer

# Teacher pay package has $2.3 million price tag

LIVERMORE — Livermore Education Association leadership were not impressed to learn that their proposed raise and benefit package for 1977 - 78 would cost the district $2.3 million, according to rough estimates by finance chief Bruce Jamieson.

Starting with the assumption that each 1 per cent raise for teachers costs the school district $100,000, Jamieson said a 6.5 per cent cost of living increase, based on the price jumps in the Bay Area since March 1976, would cost $650,000.

Added to that is $1.2 million in cost of living raises not realized since 1974 when rapid inflation began. Of the most expensive component of the teachers' request, LEA president Barbara Brunke said Tuesday night, "We're asking to be kept up on our purchasing power."

Teachers also asked for a percentage to be added to their wages to help them keep up with current inflation rather than being a year behind all the time. Applying 3 per cent to that item gave Jamieson a figure of $300,000.

Adding increments to the salary scale at certain longevity and educational levels would cost some $40,000.

Besides giving the teachers more in their paychecks, the district is also facing a 25 per cent jump in the cost of Blue Cross insurance just to maintain current benefits and a 7.45 per cent increase in Kaiser premiums. The dental plan is also going up by 5.4 per cent, totaling almost $130,000 in additional health premiums the district will be paying out next year.

Teachers are also asking for a broadening of the extracurricular pay scale, an item which would cost $12,000. In addition, they want retiring teachers to receive full health and dental coverage until they are old enough to qualify for Medicare but due to a misunderstanding, Jamieson did not have a cost estimate for that detail.

The public is invited to inspect copies of the teachers' proposed package for next year and the school district's analysis. The documents are available at the city library and the district office at the corner of Murrieta and Las Positas boulevards.

At a public hearing Tuesday night, May 31, the public will be asked to comment on the proposals before formal negotiating begins between the school board and the teachers.

— by Pat Kennedy


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## Camp Parks summer classes offered

Several classes are being offered through the Amador Adult Education Summer School at Camp Parks, starting June 20.

One of the classes being offered is Batik, on Mondays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Batik is a form of resist dyeing on fabric originated in the East Indies. Batik literally means "wax writing." Hot wax is brushed onto the fabric where color is wished after the dye has been applied.

The fabric can be used for pillows, clothing, table cloths, ties, stuffed shapes, etc. Registration fee is $3 and a lab fee of $1 is also required.

Pre-registration will be held on June 13 and 15 at Dublin High School from 7 to 9 p.m. and Amador Valley High School on June 14 and 16 from 7 to 9 p.m.

For further information, contact the Adult Education office, 462-5500, ext. 17.

## City explores police patrol For Foothill

PLEASANTON — The city staff will explore the possibility of patrolling Foothill Road entirely by city police cars.

Currently the California Highway Patrol shares the duties with the city, but Council Member William Herlihy felt that more attention might be paid the stretch of asphalt if the police force closer to home does full - time duty on the area.

Herlihy made his remarks after the council held a study session with county supervisor Valerie Raymond. She commented she did a poll on traffic safety on Foothill Road and got a mixed response. Some respondents said reduction of the speed limit on Foothill Road would help. Others said the problem is the drivers, not the speed limit.

The county will seal coat the road in a few weeks and paint in some speed limits and maybe put up more road signs, said County Road Chief Jessie Cambra. The county will try to double the number of signs in the school zones, she said.

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## *Clothes Box chatter*

Customer Diane Teixeira chats with owner Shar Crippen about the Clothes Box's new and exciting clothes line for the young at heart.

The Clothes Box, in Pleasanton's Valley Plaza shopping center, offers a wide selection of unique styles for both men and women including a complete department of Levi's cords and denims.

Girl's and women can find junior sizes from one to fifteen; men can be fit to size 38.

Shar and Doug Crippen are inviting you to browse through their styles at their grand opening half-price sale this weekend.

## *BART Valley-extension unit nears mission end*

**Alameda County Bureau**

OAKLAND — The five - year - old Bay Area Rapid Transit District "Livermore - Pleasanton Extension Board" will close its files next week if board members can agree on a contract settlement with consultants.

The 22nd meeting, scheduled for 9 a.m. June 1 in the BART administrative building here, pits consultants Livingston and Blayney and De Leuw, Cather & Co. against BART cost accountants over $26,464 the consultants claim in justifiable cost overruns.

BART is offering some $11,000, according to a spokesman.

The original report, a giant, 150-page tome, cost some $290,000.

It pegs a BART extension through the Dublin Canyon, Pleasanton and on to Livermore at some $370 million and discusses alternates to a fixed rail route.

Committee members also will discuss Livermore's pending request for more Metropolitan Transportation Commission funds to buy some 10 acres at Murrieta and Stanley boulevards.

MTC already has pledged $545,000 toward the purchase.

City Manager Bill Parness said a "detailed appraisal" has hiked the cost. Exact revised figures are not yet available.


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## Camera headquarters

Debbie Forge checks the inventory at Ken's Cameras in Pleasanton. Ken's offers a complete line of photo supplies featuring cameras, movie cameras, film, screens, and accessories. Discount processing and Kodak processing are specialties of the store.

## Cable TV to show Old Town tour film

A preview of the Old Town tour of older homes in Pleasanton will be featured tonight on The Cable Connection, a locally produced show available to all who subscribe to cable television.

The show will be seen at 8 p.m. in Pleasanton and Dublin on Channel 10 and be rebroadcast next Monday and next Friday at 8:30 a.m. on cable TV Channel 12 in Livermore. Those who wish to see the regular Channel 10 programming tonight can turn to Channel 5 and see it.

Other features on Cable Connection tonight include the story of volunteers building a playground at Fairlands School in Pleasanton, rehearsals of The Company's production of "Carnival", a look at Komandorski Village with a pitch to vote "yes" on Measure C, and Dublin High School students talking to kids at Fallon Elementary School on about the disadvantages of smoking.


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## Officials assure voters by mail of no disclosure

PLEASANTON — Some registered voters reportedly are not mailing in their fire and police tax override ballots because they fear that word will get out all over town about how they voted.

But their fears are groundless, according to Assistant to the City Manager Larry Miller, who will supervise the ballot counting.

Christine Pearson, the housing authority commissioner, brought the problem to the attention of The Times this week. Voters in this first mail - out election in city history mark an anonymous ballot, but the envelope in which they insert it is only a half - envelope. It's possible for anyone looking at the arrangement to see how the ballot was marked, said Pearson.

If the ballots were sent in anonymously, that would be no problem. But they are mailed in a full - envelope which must be signed on the outside by the voter. In that way, the county registrar of voters can check the envelope signature against the registration rolls to be sure it's a legitimate ballot.

The problem, said Pearson, is that someone counting votes can look at the envelope, see from whom it came, and satisfy one's curiosity about how that person voted.

But that won't happen, said Miller. The The full - envelopes will be slit open and then turned face down under Miller's supervision. Then the ballots will be removed from the full - envelopes and inserted in a ballot box where they will remain until counting next Tuesday night after the 8 p.m. ballot deadline. Ballot - counting machines will "read" all of the ballots in five minutes.

City hall had received 4,200 ballots as of yesterday for a approximately a 32 per cent return on the 13,000 mailed. Actually 14,000 were mailed, but at least 1,000 were returned by the post office as "undeliverable".

A typical city council election draws 30 to 40 per cent voter turnout. This election probably will go over 40 per cent, Miller predicted.

### *Chloride count off*

MARTINEZ — Chloride content of Contra Costa Canal water may drop below 250 parts per million this week for the first time in nearly two months, due to lower tides and runoff from last week's rain.

But the salt levels will rise again unless greater releases are made from Northern California reservoirs, the Contra Costa Water District's weekly water quality bulletin said.

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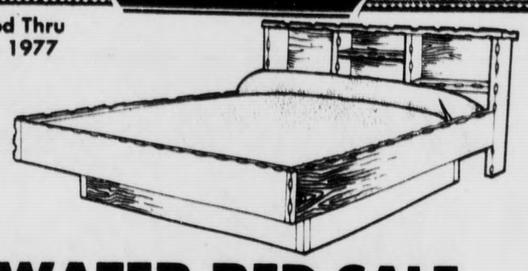

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## Pleasanton hikes fees for future park plans

PLEASANTON — The city council doubled the park dedication fees Monday night on a unanimous vote.

The fees, which are paid in lieu of donating the required amount of land per home, were last raised in 1969. Inflation and rising land costs made the old fee schedule obsolete, said Director of Engineering Services Don Sooby.

The current fees and the ones just enacted are: single family home, $250 current fee, soon to be $500; duplex zoning, $213, $426; multiples, 2500 foot minimum lot per unit, $225, $450; 2,000 square foot multiples, $200, $400; 1500 foot multiples, $188, $376; and mobile home lot, $188, $376.

## *City unit talks growth*

PLEASANTON — The Growth Management Committee will continue its deliberations on a growth management plan with special attention to the amount of low income housing to be provided when it meets at 7 p.m. today in the Civic Center conference room, 200 Bernal Ave.

## *Books galore*

Sarah Shively of Sage Books in Pleasanton thumbs through her stock of books about healthier, happier, and wiser minds.

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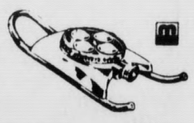

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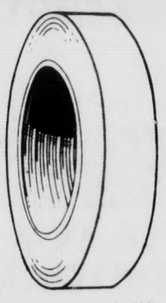

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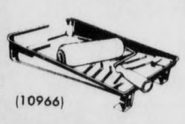

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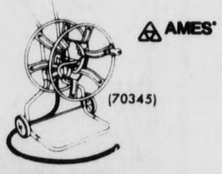

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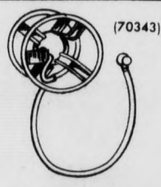

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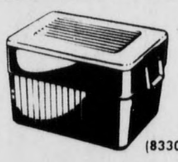

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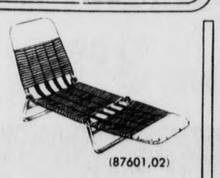

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MR. AND MRS. FREDERICK GORMAN
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## Gorman - Weber

Frederick Gorman and Michele Diane Weber chose Europe as their honeymoon destination after a wedding ceremony at the Castlewood Country Club in Pleasanton.

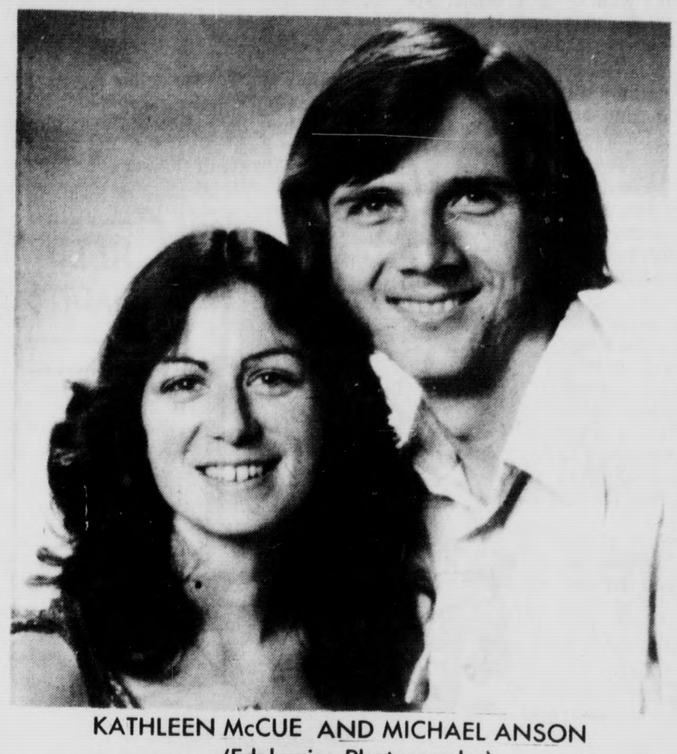
Michele is a 1970 graduate of Amador High School, and a 1976 graduate from San Jose State University. She is the daughter of Debbie Elkinton of Oakland, and is a director of veterans affairs at San Jose State.

Frederick is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gorman of Belmont, and presently works with computers at San Jose State.

The ceremony included Mike Rigg as best man and Mary Kathleen Weber as maid of honor.

Following the wedding, the couple held a reception at Castlewood Country Club.

They will reside in Campbell, California.



KATHLEEN McCUE AND MICHAEL ANSON
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## Anson - McCue

Michael Dale Anson and Kathleen Marie McCue announced their engagement recently at the 25th anniversary party for Dale's parents in southern California.

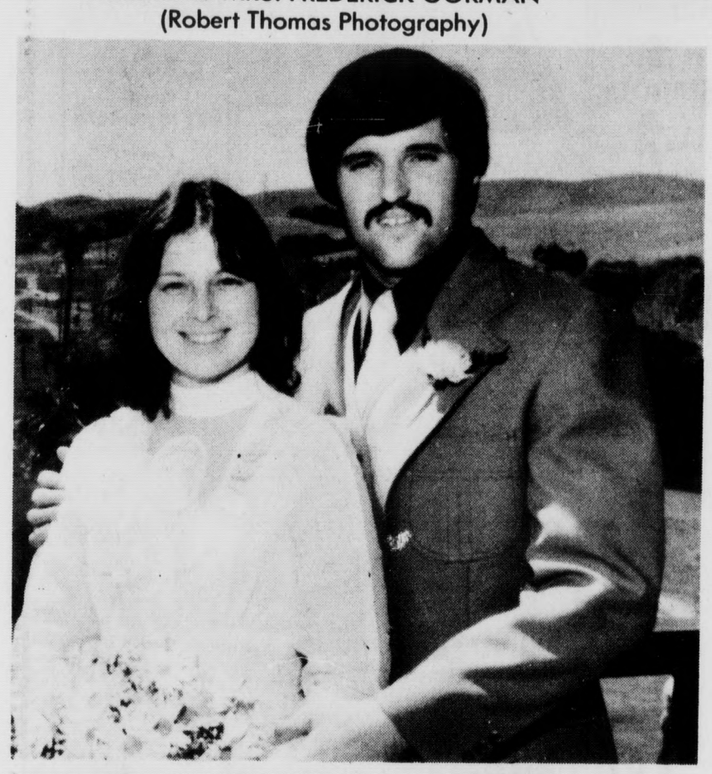
Kathleen graduated from San Ramon High in 1974, and is employed as an LVN at Fairmont Hospital in San Leandro.

Dale works at Chacon Trucking in San Landro and went to high school in Cerritos, California.

Their wedding is planned for September 10, 1977, and the honeymoon is tentatively set for Lake Tahoe.

Kathleen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allan McCue of San Ramon.

Dale's parents re Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lee Anson of Cerritos.



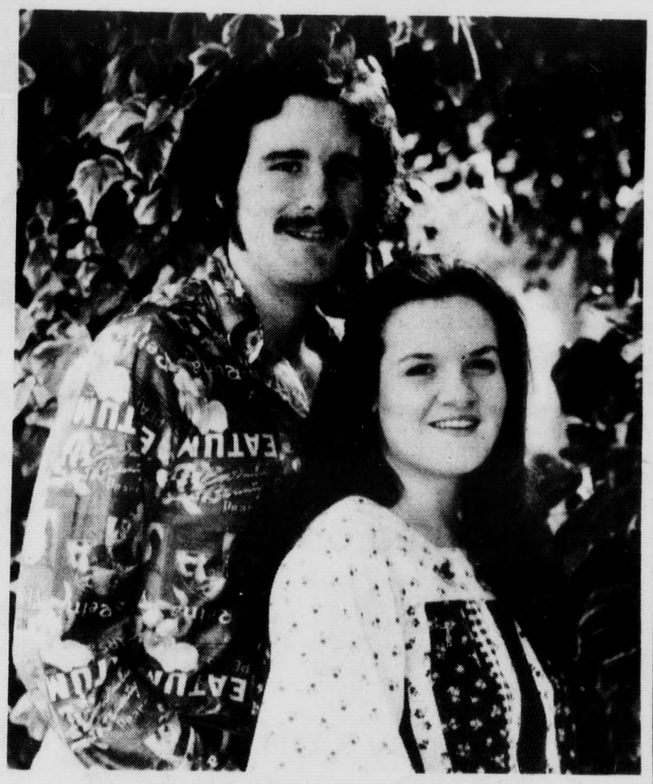
MR. AND MRS. GARY McCLOUD
(Komperda Photography)

## McCloud - Stewart

Pleasanton will be the first home of Gary and Mary McCloud, who were married in a springtime ceremony at the Little Brown Church of Sunol.

Mary is a 1974 graduate from Livermore High School, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Stewart of Livermore. Gary is son of Mary McCloud and Walter McCloud of Pleasanton, and a 1973 graduate of Amador High in Pleasanton.

Rev. Brian W. Mahoney officiated at the ceremony, which was followed by a reception at the Sunol Golf Club. The couple honeymooned in Monterey and Morrow Bay. Mary is an employee of the First National Bank of Pleasanton.



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## McDonald - Baer

The new Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McDonald have made their first home together following their May wedding. Lynn Ann is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Baer of Pleasanton, and is a 1975 graduate of Amador High School. She is employed by the Pleasanton branch of Bank of America. Daniel graduated from Granada High in 1973, and now works for the Sears Service Center in Union City. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McDonald.

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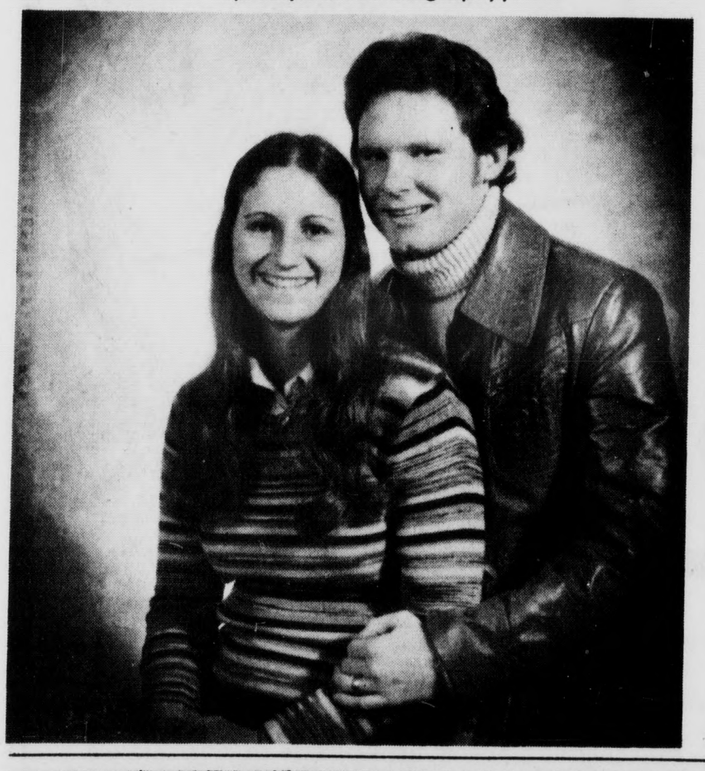

MR. AND MRS. DANIEL McDONALD
(Robert Thomas Photography)

## Schmidt - Hutchings

Wedding plans are being made by Kimberly Hutchings of Livermore and Mark Schmidt of Mariposa. Their summer, 1978 wedding will take place in St. Michael's Church in Livermore.

Kimberly is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Agius, and attended Livermore High School. Mark, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schmidt, is in active duty with the Air Force at Sheppard Air Force Base.

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# Parkway widening foes seek legal advice

PLEASANTON — Residents of Del Valle Parkway will meet with their attorney next week to see if they want to take the city to court over the city council's 3-2 decision Monday night to widen the parkway to four lanes.

The 17 families along the existing stub - end parkway and their sympathizers nearby feel the city council did not explore all of the possible alternatives to the four lane route which has been on the city's general plan for a long time.

The residents, who recently formed the Pleasanton Safe Streets Association, think the city's best bet would be to move the parkway to the banks of the Arroyo Del Valle. There it will be out of the way and won't split a neighborhood in half with 10,000 cars a day on it (by 1990 or so), they said.

However, moving the parkway would take more land from the Morrison Homes development across the street from the existing residents and also would add at least $200,000 of city money to the cost of construction, according to Director of Engineering Services Don Sooby. In the past the council has made remarks which show a negative attitude toward spending that much extra money to move the parkway, though only Council Member William Herlihy expressed specific objection to spending the extra $200,000 Monday night.

The council majority, comprised of Herlihy, Mayor Robert Philcox, and Council Member Joyce LeClaire felt that the originally adopted parkway route is still the best. Philcox said that the parkway route will serve the whole community well and the parkway design is just as safe as any other type of street. (Residents have objected not only to the 10,000 cars per day projected for the area, but also to the fact they will have to back their cars to the thoroughfare.)

Olga Morrow, a member of PSSA, told The Times yesterday she felt that "our efforts have established more than a reasonable doubt about the safety of the proposed parkway. We did a study of Paseo Parkway in Fremont, our attorney raised objections about the adequacy of the Environmental Impact Report, and we mentioned the incident on Holmes Avenue in Livermore where a boy was killed. We feel they (city staff) just gave opinions as to the safety of the parkway; they didn't address the facts".

PSSA at a previous meeting told of a survey they did on Paseo Parkway in Fremont in which the Fremont residents indicated lots of annoyance with the parkway situation. PSSA attorney Joe Brescher criticized the Environmental Impact Report for allegedly neglecting the future traffic's impact on the neighborhood. He said that and other supposed lapses in the EIR appear to be grounds for a court injunction against the city.

Vice - mayor Ken Mercer and Council Member Frank Brandes voted against the parkway approval. Mercer asked for a 60 to 90 day extension as a personal courtesy to see if he could find a fresh solution that would keep all parties happy, but the council majority felt that past study had exhausted the issue.

— by Ron McNicoll

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## Split vote kills dairy sign move

LIVERMORE — Lengthy procedural debate by city council Monday thwarted attempts by Councilman Dale Turner to bring up new arguments in favor of letting Holdener Dairy turn its business sign to face traffic on Stanley Boulevard.

A variance request by the Holdeners last October was turned down on a split 2-1-1 vote, with Turner dissenting, Councilman Marshall Kamena abstaining and Councilman John Staley absent. The makeup of that vote played heavily in the discussion, which noted ambiguities in the council's "Policies and rules for conduct of city council meetings."

Turner wanted council to be aware of a connection between speed limit discussions on Holmes Street after a recent pedestrian death of a young Livermore boy and the speed limit factor discussed by council when they originally studied the Holdener sign. He was not allowed to pursue the thought.

Turner had asked the item be placed on the agenda for purpose of "rediscussion," but Mayor Helen Tirsell considered it a move to "reconsider" the former council action.

A motion to reconsider, according to the council's "red book of rules", is only allowed by a member of the prevailing side of a vote.

"The variance procedure requires planning commission hearings, city council hearings and public testimony," said Tirsell. "To reconsider also means more staff time."

"We don't have any motions to discuss," she said, noting there was no second to any motion Turner might have brought up.

"I feel I have a right to present a discussion and ask someone in the majority to make a motion," said Turner.

With most council members agreeing the policy contained ambiguous wording, Staley asked for a review by the city attorney. He noted this case could be a classic for a law student to study, because the voting majority was made up of a minority of the council and the person abstaining could not make a reconsideration motion either.

Elsie Holdener rose and asked, in vain, for the council to suspend the rules to allow the debate.

Attempting to test the ambiguity in the policy, Kamena (who abstained from the original vote) made a motion to reconsider and set a new public hearing.

Councilman Glen Dahlbacka made a point of order that sent City Attorney Gary Reiners searching in Roberts Rules of Order. He noted a conflict between that rule book and the council's and said it would be up to the chairperson to rule. Tirsell ruled that an abstainer is not a member of the prevailing side and ended the debate.

Holdener was told she could either speak at a future Open Forum or apply for another variance.

The dairy owner told The Times later she plans to apply for another variance. "It's worth the $40 now that the question is up in the air," she said.

—by Neil Heilpern

## Drive-in sign switch stirs city comments

PLEASANTON — "Dad, how are you spending the city's money," Frank Brandes, Jr., asked Frank Brandes, Sr., recently.

The younger Brandes had been sitting in the Jack - in - the - Box drive - in and watched a city crew install new one - way street signs which looked very much like the old one - way street signs that were still in perfect condition.

The senior Brandes, a member of the city council, asked the same question of the city council staff Monday night, only he didn't call Acting City Manager Alan Campbell "Dad".

"We have to make our signs conform to federal standards to get federal road money," said Campbell.

"But they look like the old signs," protested Brandes.

And that was the end of that.

## Bids called on I-680

The state is calling for bids for some work on Interstate 680 between Dublin Road and Crow Canyon Road.

Bids on the work, estimated at $140,000, will be opened June 15 in Sacramento.

## City attorney's office not where it was listed

PLEASANTON — Try as you might, you won't find the city attorney's office at 200 Bernal Ave., unlike a listing published in the The Times yesterday.

The city attorney has offices at 30 W. Angela Street, the City Council Chambers building.

## Pleasanton planner duo reappointed

PLEASANTON — The city council reappointed Bob Butler and Gregg Doherty to new four year terms on the planning commission Monday night.

The vote was unanimous. Council Member Joyce LeClaire, who prompted the council to open interviews for the position, said she was glad that all comers had a chance at the jobs and was happy to vote for the two incumbents.

Five, including the Butler and Doherty, applied for the two seats. Candidate Ken Geppert was nominated for a seat, but no one seconded the motion by Council Member Frank Brandes.

Brandes later suggested that the council open all expired commission seats to all comers as a matter of policy, saying it would be healthy for all who served. Making it standard operating procedure would remove any stigma from specific commission members, said Brandes.

Philcox said Brandes or other council members could bring up the idea sometime, but he would oppose it.

## Tennis Town sign ruling is diverted

PLEASANTON — "Miss Penny's" won the right to establish a dance studio in the Tennis Town building near I-580, but it won't have to help the city enforce the sign ordinance.

One of the conditions which the staff tried to attach to the dance studio permit was the requirement that Tennis Town would have to change its "indoor tennis" sign on its building.

"I can't, as a third party, tell Tennis Town what to do with its building," complained Miss Penny official Scott Francis. The commissioners agreed and removed the condition. They will send a letter to Tennis Town, which has a new owner, informing him of the sign ordinance violation.


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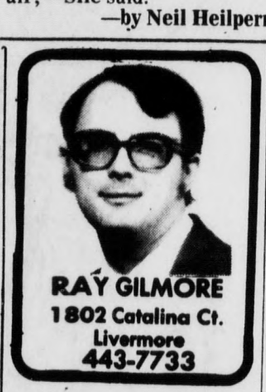
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# Farmers can seek drought relief here

Valley farmers and ranchers who have been hurt by the drought — and that includes just about all of them — are invited to sign up for an emergency drought program.

The Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service in Concord, aided by the Soil Conservation Service in Livermore, is in charge of the cost - sharing program. Landowners may receive a maximum of $2,500 or 80 per cent reimbursement on projects such as re - seeding, developing sources of livestock water, modifying irrigation systems, emergency water for cropland and other measures related to the drought. Approval for each project will be by ASC committees, headed in Contra Costa County by Don Christensen and in Alameda County by John Cronin.

California has received some $3 million so far to put the program into effect. Signups began May 16 and continue through June 30. The projects must be completed by Nov. 30.

Details are available from the ASC office at 5554 Clayton Road, Concord, phone: 685 - 3645.

More farm relief may come in the form of a beef promotion project which ranchers would pay for themselves.

June 6 will be the beginning of a two - week registration period for cattle producers who want to voice their opinion on this idea. Voting will take place June 5 - 15 on whether producers should kick in a small percentage of their profits to form a Beef Borad. Much like the dairy council, this group could improve feed production, distribution and marketing, consumer education, information and research.

During its first year of operation, the board could collect assessments of up to 3/10 of one per cent of the value of all cattle sold. After that, the rate of assessment could be changed but could not exceed half of one per cent, the maximum amount permitted under the Beef Research and Information Act. Produer Producers not wishing to participate in the program could have their assessment refunded.

Beef producers in Alameda and Contra Costa Counties should contact the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service office in Concord.

*Income tax break*

# Reagan would give back state surplus

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Ronald Reagan said Wednesday if he were still governor he would give California's expected $2.75 billion surplus back to taxpayers, probably through a permanent reduction in state income tax rates.

The Republican former governor did not criticize the $850 million property tax relief plan proposed by his Democratic successor. Instead, Reagan agreed with Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr. that homeowners need property tax relief.

But Reagan sharply disputed Brown's claim that the record shattering surplus is due in part to Brown putting a tight rein on state spending.

"He's increased the budget vastly, so it isn't the case that this is the result of being extremely frugal," Reagan said in an interview.

"With a progressive tax system, inflation as it is at the federal level has given the state government undeserved money," the former governor said. "People are moving up in tax brackets not because they're better off but because they're earning greater numbers of depreciated dollars. I don't think government has a right to profit by that."

Asked what he would do with the surplus if he were in Brown's position today, Reagan replied, "I'd give it back."

He cited the income tax rebates granted from surpluses three times in his eight - year administration and said, "What we dreamed of when we were giving back the surpluses was the day we could make a permanent across - the - board cut in taxes."

Reagan said he didn't have knowledge of details of the current surplus but said perhaps the day has come when the state could give those permanent tax cuts.

"I would think that the income tax would be a place where there could be an across - the - board reduction," he added.

Reagan said he'd also like to see the inventory tax — which was cut in half during his years — eliminated entirely by the next California tax reform, a view shared in concept by Brown.

"I've long looked forward to the day when we could get rid of the inventory tax, because of what it's done to jobs in California. That's a ridiculous and uneconomic tax."

Reagan refused to endorse details of Brown's property tax relief bill, but said he supports some form of property tax relief.

"His bill is one thing to look at. If we can substitute a statewide tax for the inequity of the property tax, yes, that would be a way. Maybe that would be a way: make the tax reduction at the local level through the property tax, and make that more in balance with the rest of the tax system," he said.

"There's certainly an injustice today for the homeowner in the fact that every local government that depends on the property tax can get itself a raise in taxes without changing the rates just by reassessing the value of properties," he added.

"But at any rate, the total tax burden on the people of California should be smaller ... because this surplus indicates that government is taking more than government needs."

## Birthday for Golden Gate Bridge

Forty years ago Friday, then-president Franklin D. Roosevelt brought the Golden Gate Bridge to life, thus establishing one of the great bridges and landmarks in the world.

The anniversary of the bridge's opening will be marked in uncharacteristic San Francisco fashion tomorrow— with little or no fanfare— but its place in the modern day world remains every bit as strong.

Since that May 27 in 1937, almost 720 million cars, trucks and busses have passed over the single - suspension span— and nearly 700 persons have chosen the bridge as a means of ending their lives.

While the "golden" in the Golden Gate may have been tarnished by these acts and the unmerciful pounding of wind and tide, it still remains the most prominent symbol of this area of California.

# Flood control plan stirring environmental reaction

MARTINEZ — Public reaction to a proposed amended watershed study affecting the San Ramon area is being sought by Contra Costa County's Flood Control District.

The affected portion lies between Walnut Creek and the highest point of hills near Crow Canyon Road, according to Richard Nugent. He is an Associate Civil Engineer for Contra Costa County's Flood Control District.

Input is being received from a series of public meetings, Nugent said.

The entire flood control zone (3-B) extends from Suisun Bay to Crow Canyon Road and from Lafayette to Mt. Diablo.

A current plan calls for creek - channel improvements utilizing excavation and rock lining.

"As it stands now, that plan would involve taking out a lot of trees to put in rock lined or earth channels," Nugent explained. "Environmentalists are concerned about the impact tree removal would have."

The proposed new plan involves building detention basins.

"This would eliminate the need for most creek improvements and be cheaper to implement," Nugent said.

He said the amended plan is estimated to cost $9.4 million. The original one could go over $100 million, Nugent indicated.

The major creeks affected would be San Ramon Creek, Green Valley Creek and Sycamore Creek.

Contra Costa County's Board of Supervisors authorized the flood control district to study the proposed new plan, Nugent explained.

"After we receive necessary public input, we will make a proposal for a zone plan amendment — first to the citizens advisory board appointed by our board of supervisors. If they approve it, we will go on to the board of supervisors and ask for their approval."

Nugent explained the plan was a long-range one that would cover a 20 year period.

"Although we are in severe drought conditions now, that condition could reverse during the next 20 years. We should be prepared."

— by Sue Vogelsanger

## Bay bridge toll hiked

OAKLAND — Tolls on the Bay Bridge will be raised to 75 cents following action of the Metropolitan Transportation Commission this morning.

The commission voted the 25 cent increase after considerable comment.

The only opposition came from Concord Mayor Richard LaPointe who said such a hike is not needed at this time. Among other things, he said, "People who have no access to public transportation are being sold down he river with this."


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# A dry, costly weekend seen

Thoughts of gasoline, camping, the weather — and fire — dominate the driving public's thoughts this Memorial Day Weekend.

That means higher gas prices, crowded camp grounds, warm breezes and the omnipresent danger of fires, especially during the drought.

Gasoline will be about six-cents a gallon higher this year, according to a California State Automobile Association (AAA) survey, marking a continued half-cent a month price hike trend.

But shortages should be few and far between.

Major brand regular grade gasoline should cost 62- to 67.5-cents per gallon at self service and full service islands, respectively. Premium grade gas prices are estimated at 67.6- to 71.5-cents. And "no-lead" gas should cost 66.1- to 70-cents a gallon.

Lesser known brands not nationally advertised run 5- to 8-cents less, says the CSAA.

Both premium grade and "no-lead" gasoline have shot up nearly a full penny per gallon in the past month.

Temporary "spot shortages" are predicted, particularly at pumps pushing "no-lead" gasoline.

Central and Northern California and Nevada skies should be clear blue over the three day weekend, with temperatures dropping as Monday approaches. Low clouds and fog should appear along the coast by Memorial Day.

"Forests could literally explode," the CSAA says in the second year of the state's worst drought.

Light rain and snow that fell over much of the state earlier this month has only pushed back the fire season, according to fire officials — not eliminated it.

The drought also will hamper fire fighters as wells dry up.

Construction work along Hwy. 140 into Yosemite Valley at El Portal is expected to be cleared before the start of the weekend.

Elsewhere in the area, a stretch of State Route 12 near Isleton between Lodi and Fairfield will give motorists a 20-minute delay as work continues on a round-the-clock project.

Thirty to 45-minute delays along the Dinkey Creek Road off Hgw. 166 northeast of Fresno could "possibly" hold up motorists, says the CSAA.

Minor highway patching and light construction work on other routes will cease today.

Reservations at parks as well as motels and hotels could prove the motorists' biggest bane.

National Parks and Monuments are on a "straight, first-come, first-served basis," reports the association, with the exception of Point Reyes National Seashore in neighboring Marin County.

Reservations are required — but, alas, the park is fully booked.

All state parks accept reservations, but a CSAA check shows nearly all as "total sell-outs."

And camping in both national and state parks will be confined strictly to designated areas, the association warns.

Hotels, motels and private campgrounds are heavily booked as well, especially around Lake Tahoe, the Monterey Peninsula, Santa Cruz and Clear Lake.

Accomodations in and near Yosemite, Sequoia and Kings Canyon National Parks are also at a premium.

The CSAA joins the California Highway Patrol in another effort to cut down on holiday deaths, including boating and swimming accidents, but especially auto mishaps.

Buckle up, hold down speeds, keep alert, drive defensively, avoid distractions and DON'T DRINK AND DRIVE, they advise.

Defective equipment is often the cause of otherwise avoidable accidents, the CSAA warns. So be sure tires are properly inflated and have plenty of good tread. And don't overload.

But have a nice weekend.

# Director of nurses leaving VMH in June

LIVERMORE — Valley Memorial Hospital's long - time director of nursing, Mary Jane Terwilliger Tilson, is moving to Redlands after 15 years at VMH.

A nursing supervisor when the hospital opened, Mrs. Tilson previously served for a year on the staff at St. Paul's, the Livermore hospital before VMH was built. She was named director of nursing 13 years ago.

She received her nursing training and bachelor of science degree from the University of Southern California and Huntington Memorial Hospital School of Nursing. The mother of three grown children, Mrs. Tilson has been a member of the Livermore Soroptomists and belongs to the National League for Nursing.

A screening committee is presently interviewing candidates for the director of nursing position, preparatory to Mrs. Tilson's departure June 1.

**STAR GUIDE**

If you're an astrology buff, you won't want to start your day without consulting the "Astrograph" by Bernice Bede Osol. It's in the stars.


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| 50 LONG SLEEVE TOPS | $6-8 | 2.98 |
| 50 BASIC BLOUSES | $10-$12 | 2.98 |
| 10 JR. PANTS | $10-$14 | 5.98 |
| 15 EX. LARGE PANTS | $8 | 98c |
| 20 DISCO TOPS | $12 | 2.98 |
| 30 SOLID PANTS | $10 | 2.98 |
| 150 ASST BLOUSES | $8-$10 | 98c |
| 50 GAUCHOS | $16-$19 | 5.98 |
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| 25 VINYL JACKETS | 15.99 | 9.98 |
| 12 HOODED SWEATSHIRTS | $10 | 5.98 |
| 60 OVERALLS | $24 | 14.98 |
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| 50 GAUCHO SKIRTS | 6.99 | 4.98 |
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| 15 MATERNITY TOPS | $9-$10 | 5.98 |
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| 20 SKIRTS 4-6 | $6 | 98c |
| 40 SKIRTS 8-14 | $6 | 1.98 |
| 70 GIRLS THERMALS | $3 | 98c |
| 200 GIRLS KNEE HI'S | 1.35 | 48c |
| 50 GIRLS SANDALS | 3.50 | 98c |
| 40 SWEATERS 4-6 | $5 | 1.98 |
| 35 TEES 4-6 | $3 | 98c |
| 75 SWEATERS 8-14 | $6 | 1.98 |
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| 100 FASHION UNDERWEAR | 1.69 | 98c |
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| 40 SHIRT & SWEATER SETS | 10.99 | 5.98 |
| 35 JACKETS | 5.99 | 2.98 |
| 30 JEANS | 4.49 | 98c |
| 200 SS SPORT SHIRTS | 3.50 | 1.98 |
| 150 SPORT SHIRTS | 4.99 | 98c |
| 80 SHIRT & SWEATER SETS | 12.99 | 8.98 |
| 80 SS KNIT SHIRTS | 4.99-5.50 | 2.98 |
| 50 SS KNIT SHIRTS | 3.99 | 98c |
| 30 SWEATERS | 6.99 | 1.98 |

### savings for boys

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| 150 S. SLV KNIT SHIRTS | 8.99 | 3.98 |
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# MERVYN'S

# Kuhns' bat hot in AV victory

LAFAYETTE — Jayne Kuhns belted a double and home run to spark Amador Valley High School's softball team past Castro Valley, 13-6 in their opening round of the Acalanes Softball Invitational here yesterday.

Valley scored first, with two tallies in the opening inning. However. The Dons struck back quickly with two of their own in the second and went ahead 3-2 in the third. A big seven-run burst in the fifth stanza proved to be the difference in the ball game.

Amador Valley also scored twice in the fourth and once in the seventh.

The winners collected 13 hits to 11 for Castro Valley.

Debbis Oxsen was also a standout for the Dons. Oxsen had four hits, one RBI and stole four bases. Kim Libert added three hits and four RBI's.

Castro Valley hurt its own cause with 13 errors. Cindy Aafedt was the winning pitcher.

As a result of the victory Amador Valley will meet Clayton Valley at 5:30 tomorrow afternoon. In the other semi-final game Irvington will take on Pacific.

In other games yesterday Irvington rolled over Pinole Valley 19-4, Pacific edged out Analy of Santa Rosa, 4-3 and Clayton Valley nipped Montgomery of Santa Rosa, 1-0 in a pitchers' dual.

In the Clayton Valley-Montgomery contest Theresa Cavaller of the losers hurled 13 strikeouts but all for naught.

In losers' bracket games today Skyline plays Campolindo and Acalanes takes on Holy Names.

The Dons earned the berth in the Acalanes tourney by winning the East Bay Athletic League championship last week.

Times SPORTS

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## A race for horse and man

*on Sports*

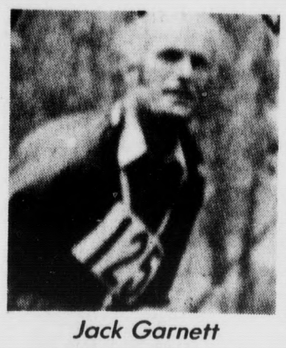
Peter Mattei is a man of backward motion.

He hardly likes to make false moves, but Sunday he and his stable companion made plenty — maybe a thousand.

Mattei, angry at the time, laughs about the mind-boggling incident now.

The 54-year-old Alamo distance runner logged 45 miles, his horse chugged another 65 and together along with a third party, the trio covered 40 miles in the strangest race in the history of man.

Mattei still can't figure it out.



*Jack Garnett*

"I ran about 13 extra miles and the horse ran 15 more than he should have," moaned the weary Mattei, who found himself dogging traffic for a good portion of the wild and wacky Seventh Annual Levi's Strauss Ride and Tie Race, on the lookout for his wandering horse.

He finally found it when it was nearly too late, after a two and a half hours of endless search — and the thousand false moves.

The 40 mile marathon, suffered by teams consisting of one horse and two humans, can be described as bizarre at best. According to the rules, all three competitors start together, one on saddleback, the other on foot. The rider races until the horse tires, then ties it to a tree and runs ahead. When his or her teammate, who has been struggling on foot, catches up, he jumps on the horse, rides past his partner, and both-the system until all three cross the finish line. Some 100 teams covered some new western plains in the Golden Gate National Recreation area near Bolinas Sunday, weathering cool temperatures while tiring blistering feet.

Matteim who lost his horse temporarily enroute, finished way back in the pack, but another Alamo runner, Jack Garnett, joined Auburn's Jim Latimer, and a tireless horse, to place third. They walked off with $1,200 in prize money.

Mattei walked off trying to catch his breath.

Some 12 miles into the race his teammate, Barbara Magid of Bolinas, was given instructions to tie-up the horse and run ahead. When Mattei reached the pre-arranged destination, no horse was found. Hoping to find it up ahead, the withered runner sped two and a half extra miles, showing a frown and growling with anger. Still no horse.

Concerned, he began asking passers-by of the horse's whereabouts. Still no luck. So the aimless Mattei galloped in a backward motion, retracing his steps, and ran for miles before finally sighting the horse dragging a bush by its tail in a Bolinas parking lot.

"Some hippie standing in the lot said he was going to take off with it," recalled Mattei, laughing, "but he didn't like the looks of it."

Determined to ride on, Mattei mounted the Arabian and headed for the finish.

"We still really don't know how he got away," he explained. "All I know is it took us seven and a half hours to finish the race when normally it should have taken us five and a half.

"The only reason I kept going is everybody told me my horse was right around the next corner. I'd get to the next corner and he wouldn't be there. So I'd keep going."

It's easy to guess why the horse was named "Boomer."

All was not lost, however. Mattei called his effort "a moral victory" for just reaching the finish.

Garnett, who ran the torturous event for the sixth straight year, felt Mattei's same unfortunate luck a year ago when his horse pulled up lame with two miles to go. He was neck-and-neck with the leader when his horse was pulled out of contention.

Six veterinarian stations, where a horse's pulse and respiration are checked, line the course and Garnett's equine failed to pass the final test.

"As we came into the last vet check," noted the 44-year-old marathon man, "the horse slipped a little bit coming to a stop and pinched a nerve in his shoulder. As soon as the horse goes lame they don't let you go.

"So we never did get to go those final two miles and see who would have won. It would have really been a fast race. I was just stunned. We waited all year to get back.

Garnett is convinced his trio could have finished higher in this year's outing, too. Down the final four mile stretch his horse showed signs of exhaustion, so the decision was made to walk instead of ride the horse up a steep grade.

It may have cost a place.

"The race wasn't worth what the horse was, so I took him to the nearest vet check. The vet said the horse was in good shape. If I just could have jogged the horse up the hill I could have maybe caught the leader, but it wasnt worth it. The team that won (Olympian Tom Laris and Ken Williams) it was having trouble with their horse, too. We only finished nine minutes out of first place.

The winners covered the distance in four hours, 19 minutes and 45 seconds. Laris, a veteran in sneakers, ran the 10,000 meter-event in the 1968 Olympics. Garnett trained for the Ride and Tie averaging 90 miles in recent weeks.

Right now, he's taking a breather.

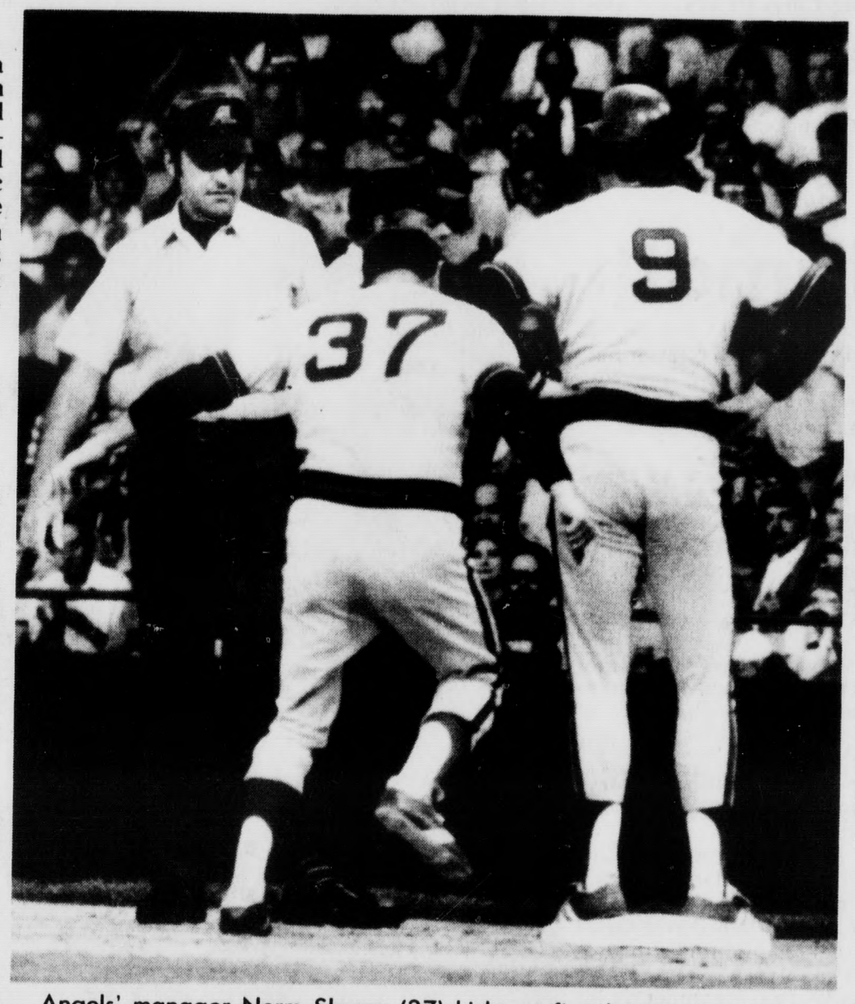
"I'm just going to sit back and relax for awhile. The reace takes a lot of training on part of the horse and runner.

Is the race a favorite of odd-ball types?

"I think you have to be a little crazy," joked Garnett, who hardly fits the description. "You have to enjoy the challenge. To me, it's the toughest thing around to finish let alone try to win.

"It takes a combination of good riding, running and luck — and maybe more of that than anything else. There are so many variables. I've had everything imaginable go wrong. I could write a book on everything that's happened.."

But it won't include Peter Mattei's chapter.



Angels' manager Norm Sherry (37) kicks at first base in argument with umpire. The Angels beat Detroit 4-0.

*NL wrap-up*

## DPs key for SF

SAN FRANCISCO — Four double plays helped the San Francisco Giants overcome a 14-hit Cincinnati Red attack and record a 6-5 victory before 7,041 paying customers next night at Candlestick Park.

Reliever Charlie Williams earned his first victory of the year with left hander Gary Lavelle picking up his sixth save of the season.

The Reds nicked John Curtis for a lead-off single in the top of the first to start the game, but the first of two early San Francisco double plays wiped out that mini-threat.

In their half of the inning, the Giants did some very nasty things to Cincy starter Terry Hume's major league debut. In short, Reds manager Sparky Anderson couldn't get reliever Woody Fryman in fast enough.

Before Fryman was warm and Anderson swept the 24-year old Hume — a Cincinnati native, who was fortunate to bomb away from the home folks — off the mound, San Francisco led 5-0.

- Derrel Thomas started it with an infield single behind second base and scored at once when Bill Madlock lifted his average over .300 with a double into the right field corner. Darrell Evans bounded another two-bagger up the right centerfield alley, scoring Madlock.

Hume walked Terry Whitfield before retiring the first batter of would could be a very brief career, getting Willie McCovey on a skyscraper to center field. It was not an example of things to come.

Gary Thomasson did put the ball high in the air, but his blow fell off the railing of the second deck beyond the right field wall for his fourth home run of the season. Hume finally departed, taking with him a 135.00 earned run average.

One of the Giants' most notorious alumni, George Foster, brought the Reds back to within two with his fifth and sixth homers of the year. The first was a solo shot in the third and the second a questionable liner down the field line with battered and bruised Johnny Bench aboard.

Fryman forget where he left the strike zone in the fourth and San Francisco added a run when Evans walked with the bases loaded. That was all, until the seventh, when Pete Rose hit a home run over the right-field fence.

Tonight, John Montefusco (2-7), who celebrated his 27th birthday yesterday, faces Cincy's control specialist Gary Nolan, (3-0) in another 7:30 p.m. game.

## Ramsay frowns at game films

PHILADELPHIA — It was not Jack Ramsay's favorite picture, certainly no "Gone With the Wind."

The coach of the Portland Trail Blazers had just gone over the game films of Sunday's 107-101 loss to Philadelphia in the opener of the National Basketball Association championship playoffs, and his review was something less than a rave.

"It's hard to win a game where you make 34 turnovers — our average is about 17," said Ramsay. "We gave them fast break opportunities. We didn't run our offense effectively. We didn't pass the ball crisply. We didn't come to meet the ball with authority. We didn't have steals from our guards in the backcourt."

On and on, Ramsay ticked off the things the Blazers did wrong before finally stumbling onto a silver lining, of sorts.

"The fact that we can play as ineffectively as we did and still be in the game at the end should show something," he suggested.

Indeed, the only Portland player who really played up to par in the opener of the best-ofseven series was Bill Walton, who had 28 points and 20 rebounds. Power forward Maurice Lucas fouled out and was never a dominating force.

*AL wrap-up*

## A's win in 10 innings

TORONTO (AP) — Manny Sanguilien doubled home Rodney Scott with the go-ahead run in the 10th inning Wednesday night and the Oakland A's hung on for a 6-5 victory over the Toronto Blue Jays.

Toronto scored in the bottom of the 10th when Alan Ashby led off with a double and moved around on two infield grounders.

The loss went to Toronto starter Jerry Garvin, 6-2. Reliever Dave Giusti, 1-2, got the victory.

The A's, trailing 4-3, tied the game in the eighth on Rich McKinney's pinch-hit home run.

The A's took a 1-0 lead in the first inning when leadoff hitter Matt Alexander walked, stole second, took third on an infield out and scored on Mitchell Page's sacrifice fly.

Garvin picked off his seventh and eighth runners of the season in the early innings, catching Dick Allen leaning in the first and picking off Earl Williams in the second.

The major league record of 14 pickoffs in a season is held by Bill Lee, who achieved that feat in 1974 with the Boston Red Sox.

The Blue Jays threatened in the bottom of the second, loading the bases with two out. Hector Torres hit a looper to right field that newcomer Mike Jorgenson caught over the shoulder on the run.

Jorgenson, traded to the A's from Montreal for pitcher Stan Bahnsen this past Sunday, was making his first start for Oakland.

The A's added two more in the fifth when Jorgenson walked and Tony Armas hit a two-run homer, his second of the series and third of the season.

The Blue Jays chased starter Jim Umbarger in the fifth when they scored four runs to take a 4-3 lead.

John Scott singled, took second when Torres was awarded first on Williams' catcher's interference and scored on Bob Bailor's single.

Otto Velez sacrificed the runners to second and third before Roy Howell walked to load the bases. Joe Coleman relieved Umbarger and gave up a two run single to pinch hitter Ron Fairly. The fourth run scored on Alan Ashby's infield out.

**Ryals 4, Orioles 1** — Al Cowens pounded three RBI's as Kansas City topped host Baltimore.

The Royals had seven extra-base hits.

**Angels 4, Tigers 0** — Frank Tanana hurled his second straight shutout and fourth of the season as California topped host Detroit.

Tanana threw 11 strikeouts and allowed just three hits in going the distance. Tanana, now 8-1, has the most victories in the major leagues.

**Indians 2, Mariners 1** — Bruce Bochte singled home Jim Honing with the winning run in the 12th inning as Cleveland topped visiting Seattle.

It was the Indians' fourth straight victory.

Dennis Eckersley, now 4-3, pitched a five-hitter for Cleveland.

**Brewers 7, White Sox 4** — Sixto Lezcano had three RBI's and a two-run homer to spark Milwaukee past visiting Chicago.

Don Money added a solo home run for the winners.

Jim Spencer belted a four-bagger for the White Sox.

Lezcano also smashed a double.

**Cubs 7, Expos 3** — Jerry Morales belted a bases-loaded double to highlight a four-run first inning and Chicago went on to top visiting Montreal, 7-3.

Montreal starter Don Worthan, 1-2, was a victim of his own wild pitcher, walking all four batters he faced.

Ray Burris, 7-4, was the winning pitcher.

**Phillies 2, Cardinals 1** — Larry Boua and Ollie Brown each had run-scoring sacrifice flys as Philadelphia edged St. Louis in Busch Stadium.

Steve Carlton, 6-2, was the winning pitcher, and went 8⅓ innings. He needed relief help from Gene Garber and Tom Underwood.

— By Dave Weber

## Pitt sues Atkinson

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The Pittsburgh Steelers have filed a $1 million countersuit in federal court against Oakland Raiders safety George Atkinson whose $2 million slander suit against the Steelers and their Coach Chuck Noll is scheduled for trial July 11.

Atkinson's attorney, Dan Mason, said the Steelers' civil suit filed in U.S. District Court here was "kind of a harassing tactic of a desperate defendant."

The Steelers' suit alleges Atkinson was part of a conspiracy to sideline Pittsburgh receiver Lynn Swann, "to disable and intimidate Lynn Swann, thereby interfering with Swann's ability to perform."

Both suits resulted from a National Football League game Sept. 12 in which Atkinson batted Swann in the back of the head and knocked him out. After the game Noll was quoted as saying there was "a criminal element in the NFL.," Atkinson claims that remark defamed him and sued Noll and the Steelers for $1 million each.

The Steelers' suit was filed here Friday.

**Oakland (6)**

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| M.Alxdr ss | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Pccolo ss | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| McKny ph | 1 | 1 | 1 | |
| R.Scott ss | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Snglien dh | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Page lf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Allen 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Gross 3b | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wllams c | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Jrgnsn rf | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Armas cf | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 |
| Perez 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lintz 2b | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
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**Toronto (5)**

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| Velez rf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Howell 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Ault 1b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Fairly 1b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Ashby c | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| G.Woods cf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Ewing ph | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
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**PITCHING**

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| Coleman | ⅓ | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Lacey | 2⅓ | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Giusti W,1-2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Garvin L,6-2 | 9⅓ | 9 | 6 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| J.Johnson | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Willis | ⅓ | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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## SR, Mustangs nines open NCS action

It's all or nothing. One blooper and you're out.

And George Cockerton knows all about it. He's been there before.

"You lose one game and it's all over", moaned the Monte Vista High baseball coach quietly.

"It all depends on what we do in the first game. If we luck out and win it, we'll be happy. We're just going to take one game at a time."

So is Rick Steen, the man who directed San Ramon to the East Bay Athletic League championship with a 12-2 mark.

Both area coaches will be back in action today attempting to extend already illustrious seasons to at least one more game when they take their respective squads into the North Coast Section 3A baseball championships.

The Wolves, relying on strong pitching and a solid defense, take a bus ride to Los Medanos College in Pittsburg for a 4 pm encounter with Foothill Athletic League champion Alhambra today while Monte Vista shuttles to San Leandro Ball Park for an equally rigid contest with co - Alameda County Athletic League champ, Pacific, at 4 pm.

Neither coach anticipates a picnic in the park. Both can look ahead to a struggle on the diamond instead. The Wolves are matched against a formidable pitching staff which has allowed just two runs in the last 54 innings during league play. On top of that, the Bulldogs have won 40 straight FAL contests.

At one stretch, Alhambra pitchers hurled 45 consecutive shutout innings and the Bulldogs' ace chucker Vince Albanese, 6-0 on the year with a spotless 0.00 ERA, won four games by shutout and threw two no - hitters and a one - hitter in his last three outings.

He wasn't alone. Teammate Joe Balderston is also unbeaten with a 9-0 mark and coasted through the FAL season with three one - hitters to his credit.

"They are a very strong ball club," attested Steen. They're very similar to us. They have strong pitching, have won a lot of close ball games and didn't score too many runs. They kind of waited for the other ball clubs to open the doors for them."

The Bulldogs, perfect in league with a 12-0 record and 17-3 overall, walked off with three 1-0 shutouts, a 2-0 count and relied on a ninth inning bases loaded single by Rick Seib to pull out a 5-4 win over Del Valle.

Alhambra also shows an arsenal of strength at the plate. Outfielder Marcus Wright, just a sophomore, leads the charge with a hefty .375 average while junior first baseman Mark Fullmer is swinging the bat at .355 pace while sevior short - stop Rob Barker trails with a .345 mark.

Struggling at the plate but powerful on the mound, the Wolves will battle their first round foe with a strong armed and quick outfield coupled with a sturdy pitching crew, a tested defense and a fast - moving team on the base paths.

Today's starter Guy Houston, who compiled a 5-1 record with a 0.85 ERA, joins Mitch Rascano as the team's two top hurlers. Rascano racked up a 4-1 mark while keeping batters in check with a 1.17 ERA. Reliever Eric Austad has proven effective in the clutch and has put together a 2-0 mark.

Steen has no answers about the Wolves' hitting, or the lack of it. Among the starters first baseman Paul Fisch leads the pack with a .316 mark. Next in line is center fielder

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## Frosh baseball champs

# Teamwork key to Falcons's success

There wasn't any great mystery as to how Foothill High School's freshman baseball team won the East Bay Athletic League championship.

"We won it with pitching, good defense, hitting and of course, a lot of teamwork," said Falcon coach George Papazion.

Foothill garnered an 11-3 record, to finish two games ahead of runner-up Granada. And the Falcons earned the title, beating Granada both times the teams played.

"The real secret to our success was the fact we could rely on anyone to come through for us," praised Papazion. "I could call on any guy from the bench to come into the game and he would deliever a game - winning hit or a key defensive play."

Papazion praised players like Al Cocilovon and Mike Venti for coming through off the bench for Foothill.

"We didn't really overpower anybody," Papazion admitted. "We just played good all-around ball and came from behind a lot."

One of the times Foothill came from behind was in the first game against Granada, when after trailing by four runs, the Falcons rallied to nip the Matadors, 5-4.

Poothill was 5-2 at the first-half break, but came through down the stretch, winning six of its seven games in the second half for the title.

Granada met the Falcons in the second - to - last - game of the season, needing a win to tie the race. However, the Falcons won and cinched the crown.

Most of the Falcons' pitching strength revolved around first - string starter Chris Peters and ace reliever Scott Henderson.

Peters pitched 40 13 innings and recorded a 5-1 record. Henderson, who won the only game he started, had a 5-0 record, and hurled 22⅔ innings.

"Peters has great control, a good curve and is smart," Papazion stated. "Henderson is also smart and has an excellent fast ball and good control."

Henderson was also named the Falcons' Most Valuable Player. He also played shortstop and batted .350.

"He could play just about anywhere," Papazion admitted. "Even catcher."

Catcher Billy Serrao paced the hitters with a sparkling .429 average. He was a good clutch hitter besides excelling behind the plate.

Third baseman Steve Woodward added power to the Falcon line-up with two home runs. Center fielder Nat Kortan was another threat at the plate, posting a .381 average.

Papazion rates Henderson as having the best chance of playing on the varsity next season, a rare feat for a sophomore.

"I would say he's a possible varsity candiate next year," he admitted. "He has a chance because they could use him at a lot of positions.

"Outside of Henderson, most of the other players probably won't play varsity ball next year," he went on. "However, there should be a bundle of them on the varsity two years from now as juniors."

Although Henderson and Peters were the aces of the Falcons' mound staff, Eric Houston and Bobby Cotton, the other two pitchers, also stood out on occassion.

"Cotton teamed with Henderson for a no-hitter," said Papazion remarked. "Bobby started and got a little wild before Henderson came in and finished up. Still, Cotton pitched a fine game and had a part in the no-hitter."

That was an example of how the Falcons' championship season went.

Everybody on the team had a part in winning the EBAL title.

**— By Gary Brown**

## In Masters

# Pate worried about Namath

ATLANTA (AP) — Jerry Pate, making his first start since the Masters, appeared to be more concerned with an injury to Joe Namath than his own ailments that have sidelined the U.S. Open champion most of the pro golf season.

"He has a pulled hamstring that swells up about the size of a basketball," Pate said of the famed quarterback recently signed by the Los Angeles Rams.

"He says it only hurts him when he runs."

Pate, an Alabama product who won the U.S. and Canadian opens last year as a rookie, played golf with Alabama Coach Bear Bryant and Namath in Tuscaloosa, Ala. last week.

"I'm okay, no problems," Pate said, shrugging off queries about his own ailments that have allowed him to play only six times this year, none at all since the Masters.

Pate, 23, one of the brightest of the young stars who have dominated the tour this year, won the Phoenix Open that kicked off the 1977 season but has played only twice since withdrawing from the Los Angeles Open with hand, neck and back pains.

His problem since has been diagnosed as a pinched nerve in his neck.

"I'm had some treatments that seem to have cleared things up," Pate said Wednesday after a practice round for the $200,000 Atlanta Classic, which gets under way Thursday over the hilly, leg-straining Atlanta Country Club course, only a few miles from the Atlanta Athletic Club where Pate won his American national championship last year.

With many of the game's young stars taking time off or playing abroad, only two of the season's top 10 money-winners are on hand for this chase for a $40,000 first prize.

Jack Nicklaus is one of them.

The famed Golden Bear scored his third victory of the season Monday in the storm-delayed wind-up of his own Memorial Tournament.

Other major standouts in the 156-man field include Hale Irwin, who won the last Atlanta Classic in 1975, Hubert Green, runner-up to Nicklaus in the Memorial, Tom Weiskopf, Australian David Graham, PGA champ Dave Stockton and 1977 winners Andy Bean and Mark Hayes.

Masters title-holder Tom Watson is competing in Great Britain while Ben Crenshaw and Bruce Lietzke are taking time off to go fishing.

# league leaders

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

BATTING (90 at bats) — Bailor Tor, .377; Carew Min, .367; Washngtn Tex, .347; Burleson Bsn, .338; Pa. Kelly Bal, .337.

RUNS — Hisle Min, 29; Baylor Cal, 28; Bonds Cal, 28; Page Oak, 28; 5 Tied With 27.

RUNS BATTED IN — Rudi Cal, 38; Hisle Min, 36; Zisk Chi, 32; Velez Tor, 31; Munson NY, 28.

HITS — Carew Min, 58; Burleson Bsn, 50; Munson NY, 49; Page Oak, 49; Bannister Chi, 48.

DOUBLES — Lemon Chi, 13; McRae KC, 12; Page Oak, 11; G. Scott Bsn, 10; Bailor Tor, 10; Velez Tor, 10; Bostock Min, 10; Carew Min, 10.

TRIPLES — Randolph NY, 5; Carew Min, 5; Rice Bsn, 4; Moore Mil, 4; Remy Cal, 4.

HOME RUNS — Zisk Chi, 12; Gross Oak, 11; Hisle Min, 10; Williams Oak, 10; Evans Bsn, 9; G. Scott Bsn, 9.

STOLEN BASES — Remy Cal, 18; Patek KC, 15; J. Norris Cle, 11; Bonds Cal, 11; Hisle Min, 10.

PITCHING (5 Decisions) — Tanana Cal, 7-1, .875, 2.40; Garvin Tor, 6-1, .857, 3.38; D. Alexnder Tex, 6-1, .857, 2.61; Knapp Chi, 5-1, .833, 4.25; Burgmeier Min, 5-1, .833, 2.14; Rozema Det, 4-1, .800, 2.75; Zahn Min, 6-2, .750, 3.54; Torrez NY, 5-2, .714, 4.47.

STRIKEOUTS — Ryan Cal, 89; Tanana Cal, 78; Blyleven Tex, 57; Palmer Bal, 45; Blue Oak, 45.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

BATTING (90 at bats) — Trillo Chi, .387; Parker Pgh, .374; C. Johnson Htn, .363; Matthews Atl, .352; Simmons StL, .346.

RUNS — Winfield SD, 35; Smith LA, 34; Burroughs Atl, 32; DeJesus Chi, 30; Griffey Cin, 30; Morgan Cin, 30; Garvey LA, 30; Lopes LA, 30.

RUNS BATTED IN — Cey LA, 42; Winfield SD, 39; Parker Pgh, 37; Burroughs Atl, 36; Smith LA, 30.

HITS — Parker Pgh, 58; Winfield SD, 58; Griffey Cin, 50; Garvey LA 50; Burroughs Atl, 49.

DOUBLES — Cromrtie Mtl, 15; Luzinski Phi, 13; Reitz StL, 13; Rose Cin, 13; Yeager LA, 13.

TRIPLES — Almon SD, 5; Brock StL, 4; Winfield SD, 4; 6 Tied With 3.

HOME RUNS — Cey LA, 13; Smith LA, 11; Burroughs Atl, 10; C. Johnson Htn, 10; Kingman NY, 8; Parker Pgh, 8; Winfield SD, 8.

STOLEN BASES — Taveras Pgh, 19 Cedeno Htn, 17; Moreno Pgh, 16 Lopes LA, 16; Cabell Htn, 14.

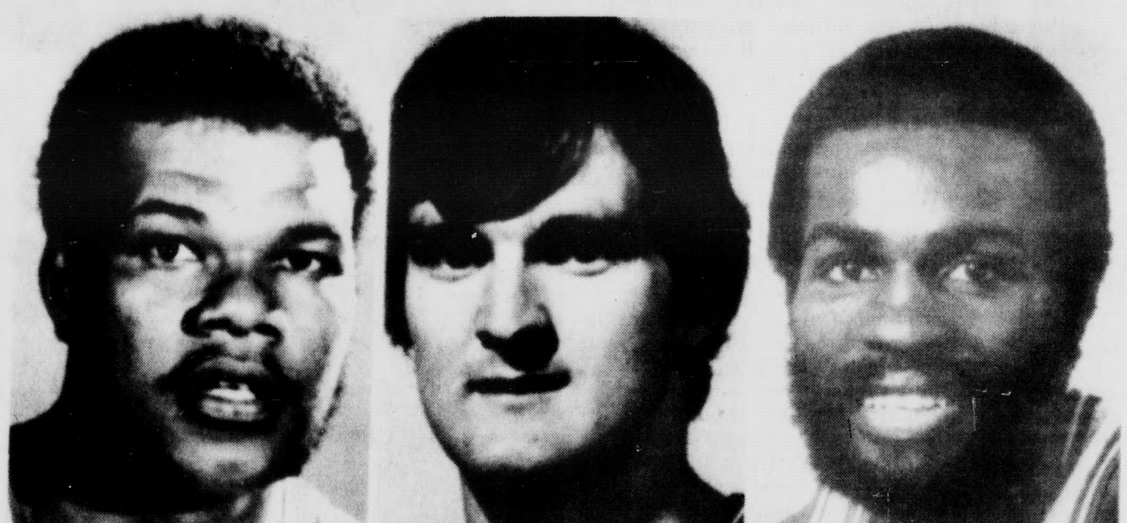
# Three-team deal in NBA

DENVER (AP) — The Denver Nuggets acquired guard Brian Taylor from Kansas City, guard - forward Bobby Wilkerson from Seattle and two 1977 draft choices Wednesday in the first major trade prior to the 1977-78 National Basketball Association season.

In a three - team deal, Denver sent center Marvin Webster and veteran forwards Paul Silas and Willie Wise to Seattle for the Sonics' Wilkerson, center Tom Burleson and Seattle's second - round draft choice.

The Nuggets then sent Burleson to Kansas City in exchange for Taylor and the Kings' number nine choice in the first round of the draft, scheduled for next month.

The Nuggets now have three early choices in the draft, picking ninth, then using their own 21st selection and finally Seattle's second - round choice, which is the 30th choice overall.



Involved in the NBA trade yesterday were top (from left), Marvin Webster, Tom Burleson and Brian Taylor. Bottom, Willie Wise, Bobby Wilkerson and Paul Silas.

# Bardales sets records in winning decathlon

FARGO, N.D. (AP) — Mauricio Bardales of the University of California at Irvine set three records while dethroning two-time decathlon champion Barry Stebbins of Mount St. Mary's, Md., to conclude the National Collegiate Athletic Association's Division II competition Wednesday.

Bardales, 21, amassed a Division II record 7,621 points during the two-day, 10-event decathlon at North Dakota State University, breaking the 1970 record of 7,269 points by Seattle Pacific's Steve Gough.

Stebbins, 22, seeking an unprecedented third decathlon crown, also broke Gough's record with 7,307, and finished second in the field of 13 decathletes. Four of the original entries dropped out Wednesday.

Bardales, whose parents came to the United States from Managua, Nicaragua, also bettered his own division record in the javelin with a toss of 221 feet, 5 inches. He'd set the previous standard of 208 last year.

Bardales' point total was his best ever, and his second - day accumulation of 3,874 exceeded the previous record of 3,517 set by two others.

Stebbins toppled Gough's 1970 long jump record of 24-1½, clearing 24 7.

"After trying three years, it's a great feeling," said Bardales, who finished 10th a year ago.

Bardales is a 1974 graduate of Daniel Murphy High School in Los Angeles, where he was born.

The 1980 Olympics "is definitely a goal," he said.

A junior social science major at UC-Irvine, Bardales competed with a groin injury.

"That took away maybe 300 points from my total," he said.

Bardales is to compete in the NCAA Division I decathlon at the University of Illinois next week.

Mike Kowal of Edinboro State, Pa., finished third with 7,033 points, Tom Swartzel of San Francisco State was fourth (7,000) and Tom Delmoor of Mount St. Mary's was fifth (6,972).

The rest of the field in order of finish: Bill Lawson, Northern Iowa, 6,757; David Nugent, Cal Poly-Pomona, 6,756; Gary Wofford, Southwest Missouri State.

# MV coach likes challenge

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Greg Bishop with a .262 mark. From there, the averages take a nosedive.

"We're not hitting balls away from people," explained San Ramon's third year coach. "It's really been hard on ourselves because we've been hitting the ball well in practice. We're just hitting the ball right at people."

Steen anticipates a low scoring affair, scanning both club's season run production. It's billed as a tossup, matching San Ramon — the East Bay's third ranked team — against the prep writers' second choice.

"If we play our brand of ball and don't hit, it could go into the 11th inning tied 0-0 because we're pretty good defensively and I think we'd our pitching staff is comparable," he said.

"The few hits we got this year were timely ones," he continued. "Our pitchers kept us in the ball game. At no time did I think we'd have to use more than two pitchers in a ball game. We usually got complete games out of our pitchers."

Monte Vista, given one of four at - large berths by the NCS selection committee on Sunday, will play a team which compiled a sturdy 12-3 ACAL mark and 15-9 record overall. Dave Mendez, the Vikings senior centerfielder, flashed a .400 average while third baseman Jeff Perry trailed with a .300 percentage. Pacific will go with Mi ke Casey on the mound tomorrow. The talented senior handcuffed batters with a 6-1 record and showcases a 0.44 ERA. Should the Vikings get past the Mustan g s, Randy Kerr will get the nod in game two. He won four games for the ACAL co - title holders and proved effective with a 1.84 ERA.

Cockerton said he was pleased just to get the challenge to square off with Pacific.

"What the kids ought to realize is that they should be thankful to be respected enough to get the at - large berth," he enthused.

But the Mustangs, who swing big bats, won't be backing off to anyone. This team can score runs. Monte Vista crossed the plate 102 times in 18 games and averaBed better than five runs per contest. They finished tops in the East Bay Athletic League in batting with a .300 mark and boasted the top pitcher.

Brad Miller, 9-1 on the year and 6-1 in EBAL play, struck out 67, walked 33 and compiled a 1.63 ERA.

But should the Mustangs advance past their first opponent, Cockerton has plenty to worry about in the pitching department.

"It's going to take a super effort out of our second and third pitchers," explained the coach of the Mustangs' hurling woes.

Craig Robinson will pick up the slack should the Mustangs look for pitching support. The hard - throwing junior racked up a 4-2 record and posted a 1.63 ERA during the campaign. He struckout 20 and gave up 15 free passes. Steve Jayko, the Mustangs' regular second baseman, is the third starter. He was 1-0 witha 2.21 ERA, fanned 10 and surrendered six walks.

Fortunately for Cockerton, Miller has yet to reach his prime and will make a return visit to the mound next year. The junior righthander tossed two no hitters two weeks apart this season.

Jayko leads the team in batting with a .435 mark while team captain Kevin Jones is only a step back at .426. Rightfielder Greg Bisbee shows a .352 percentage while third baseman Ted Helgans is swinging the bat at a .312 rate.

Pacific can expect a battle, warns the dean of EBAL baseball coaches.

"We expect to give everybody we meet a battle," he said. "I just hope we can represent our league well."

# O'Leary new MV mentor

Michael O'Leary, 31, formally of Highland High School in Salt Lake City, has been named the new football coach at Monte Vista High School.

O'Leary, who has also coached at Glendora High and Bishop Amat High in Southern California, will also be the head track coach at Monte Vista.

At Bishop Amat, O'Leary was the offensive line coach. Included among the stars at that school were Pat Haden, J.K. McKay and John Sciarra.

O'Leary has made no decision on exactly what kind of offense he'll run at Monte Vista. The Mustangs will hold spring practice next week and the new mentor will make some decisions after he gets his staff and team together.

"I would like to bring in someone to run the defense," said O'Leary. "I'm the kind of coach that likes to delegate authority.

"A winning program takes total involvement by students, faculty, booster clubs and the community," said O'Leary. "We're going to try and get as much involvement as possible."

**FOOTBALL**
**National Football League**

NEW YORK JETS — Signed Gary Gregory, tackle; Charles White, running back; Bob Grupp, defensive back and Phil Gargis, safety.

**HOCKEY**
**National Hockey League**

ATLANTA FLAMES — Traded Randy Manery, defenseman to the Los Angeles Kings for Ab Demarco, defenseman.

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## Little League round-up

# Hardware rally edges Groth Bros.

Granada Hardware scored a run in the bottom of the sixth inning to take a 11-10 win over Groth Bros-Olds. in Granada Little League Major Division competition.

The winners are now tied for first place.

Gary Johnson, Bret Chandler and Pete Scales each had one hit for the winners. Scalps had a double.

Eric Taylor and Greg Brown each had two hits for the losers. Mike Azevedo added a hit. Brown belted three RBI's.

The winners were outhit 10-5. However, Groth Bros. committed six errors to only four for Granada Hardware.

The Granada Pharmacy A's finished in a tie for the first-half title with Granada Hardware by beating VFW-Livermore 5-1.

Derrick Mathews belted a triple and had one RBI for the winners. Kevin Hall, Chris Delaney and Brent Fox each had a single for the A's. Hall also clubbed an RBI.

John Rourke, Jim McLaughlin and Vruce Vik each had singles for the losers.

Dave Finster was the winning pitcher and Mike Lynn took the defeat. The winners had five hits and VFW took three.

In another Major Division contest Granada Chevron smashed Allied Brokers 14-2.

Each team smashed six hits but Ron Clark was the big slugger for the winners, belting a single, triple and driving in five runs. Chris Vinson, Randy Long and Pat Gaskill each added a hit. Gaskill had four RBI's.

Bill Aquilar and Jeff March each belted doubles for the losers. Charlie White and Chris Nadeau each added singles.

Long and Doyle pitched for the winners. Nadeau, Brown and Garcia hurled for the losers.

Allied Brokers committed seven errors to hurt its cause.

In a Minor Division contest Valley Bank Yankees edged the Coffures A's 19-17.

Tim Corder had a double and single for the winners. Rich Robbins and Sean Patterson each added a single and RBI.

Eric Reinwald had two singles and a double for the A's. He also had two RBI's. Mark Timm and Olaf Reinwald each added singles.

### Pleasanton American

Jumping off to a 11-0 lead after four innings the Jack-In-The-Box Indians took an easy 11-2 decision over the ValVista Center Yankees in Senior Minor action.

The winners belted 13 hits with David Knowles and David Mayers each getting three of them. Joe Distad added two hits.

Bob Campball, Tim Hogan and Mike Drush each added one hit.

Jeff Correia was the winning pitcher and Tim Hoga took the defeat.

Jim Carretta caught a fly ball and threw to Hogan for a double play for the Yankees. Correia shutout the Yankees for five innings.

In 4-A action Franks' Exxon Tigers took an easy 21-9 decision over the Valley Carpet Yankees.

Jim Boyd and Craig Merrill each had two hits for the Tigers. David Sirianni added one hit and three RBI's. Merrill had four oBI's.

Scott Holman and Dino Gualandri each had two hits for the Yankees.

Chris Green was the winning pitcher and Chris Gephart took the loss.

The Copy Quick Angels topped the Print-It- Red Sox 17-13 in another 4-A contest.

Todd Gould, Peter Shinnick and Chris DePiano each had three hits for the Angels.

Gould was the winning hurler and Turner took the defeat. DePiano pitched well for five innings.

In AAA action the Red Sox topped the Angels 9-2.

Jeff Fillinger had three hits for the winners, including a double. Ricky Ewert was the winning pitcher, striking out nine batters, giving up one hit and belting two of his own. Tim Peters added a hit for the Red Sox.

Kent Wilkes had a double for the losers.

Smashing 22 hits the Pleasanton Shell-Yankees took a 12-0 victory over the Pleasanton Bakery-Indians in AA play.

Chris Booth and Mark Matias each had three hits for the Yankees. Mike Weber, Chuck Mereer and John Gamblin each added two hits. Weber and Merser each had two RBI's.

Booth was the winning hurler and John McKell received the defeat. Weber was outstanding in the field.

The State Farm Orioles edged the Twins 15-14 in A play, belting 20 hits.

Eddie Milliken and Steve Grow each had three hits for the Orioles. Ed had two dou five RBI's.

Kent Gregory added a hit for the winners.

Debendehe had three hits and Latar one for the Twins.

The losers collected 16 hits.

Sultan's Carpet Tigers took a 16-8 decision over the Crystal Clean Yankees.

Clint Humpary and Tom Galblaith each had three hits for the Tigers. Mike Wood added two hits and three RBI's. Scott Warnke had two triples.

Kevin Harris and Eric Ribary each had three hits for the Yankees. Jack Hoffman added a triple and home run for the losers.

The winners had 21 hits and the Yankees picked up 15.

The Yankees topped the Tigers in another contest, 12-4.

Curtis Bigelaw and Ken Paddeck each had two hits for the Yankees. Paddeck had a triple.

Joel Cacia and Sergio Bangel each added one hit.

Ron Peterson had three hits for the Tigers. Chuck Shivley added a triple and single.

Mark Harrison was the winning hurler, striking out 13 batters.

### Pleasanton National

Jeff Jantzen belted a two-run homer in the fourth inning to spark the Leroy McDonald Dodgers past the Elby Auto Parts Padres 10-5 in Major Division action.

The winners collected 11 hits, with Rick Gabler getting three of them. Gabler, Tim Pavlina and Jantzen each had two RBI's for the Dodgers.

Tony Muljat added a double and two RBI's and Anthony Echavia a single and RBI for the winners.

Sean Williams was the winning pitcher.

Alexander and Kessler each had a double for the losers. The Padres smashed six hits.

In an AAA contest the Bill Foster-Dodgers trounced the Jack-In-The-Box Padres 18-8.

David Combs had three hits and three RBI's for the Dodgers. Glenn Savers added two doubles and two singles. Steve Maciorski had two hits and Brian Marty a double and two RBI's.

Joe McEntee and Damon Shorno each had a double for the losers.

Savers was the winning pitcher.

The Mike Peel Dodgers took an 8-3 decision ove the Dolan Lumber Padres in AA action.

David Nolta had two RBI's and Garrin Raleigh and Sean Clancy each added doubles for the winners.

Troy Franey and Leanne Payne each had doubles for the Padres. Franey also made a double play. Antonio Victoria, Grant Gabler and Ray Garrison also played well.

### Livermore American

Der Weinerschnitzel scored 12 times in the first two innings in taking a 23-7 win over Palmers' Pirates in Minor Division action.

Mike Xepolaes, John Moore and Mike Moore each had two hits for the winners. Xepolas and Finkes each had two RBI's.

Craig Nolan had three RBI's and one single for the losers. Chris Sawclair added two singles and two RBI's.

Brendan Tinner was the winning pitcher and Craig Nolan was nailed with the loss.

In another Minor Division game LLLRA toppled Livermore Saw & Mower 9-3.

Jerry Unger had two doubles and a single for LLLRA. Steve Ware added a single and double.

Dave Meyers had a triple and two RBI's for Saw & Mower.

# Sixth-inning rally gives Serv-Pro win

Serv-Pro scored five times in the sixth inning to take an 8-5 win over St. Mikes in Livermore Babe Ruth action.

It was Serv-Pro's first victory.

Brian King, Bill Beardsley and Tom Cowden each had two hits for the winners. Ken Lema added one triple.

Charlie Vela had two hits and Jeff Beringer one for St. Mikes.

Bill Dairymple was the winning pitcher and Ted Wittmayer took the defeat.

Columbus Realty took its fifth straight win with a 10-0 shutout of Baskin-Robbins.

The winners collected 11 hits as Carl Dice led the way with three safeties. Rich Mueller and Corey Cruz each had two hits and Mark Wagner and Kevin Trudeau each one.

Russ Porth and Pat Fallon had the losers' only hits.

Wagner was the winning pitcher and Ted Holman took the defeat. Wagner hurled for seven innings and struck out four batters besides his two-hitter.

LLLRA toppled the Elks 6-3 in another contest.

Brian Silva had two hits for the winners. Rick DeRosa, Mark Stewart and Bruce Miller each had one hit.

Tony Fairlee and Jim Davis each had two hits for the Elks. Greg Sundahl added a double.

Bruce Miller was the winning pitcher and Greg Sundahl took the defeat. The winners only committed three errors while the Elks had three.

Three runs in the last inning allowed the Firefighters to edge the Elks 5-3 in earlier action.

Scott Cole and John Wood each had an RBI for the winners, as did Allan Lovett and Greg Sundahl for the Elks. Both hurlers, winner Randy Johnson and Brian Avila, struck out 13 and each went the distance.

Glenn Kensey, Pat Fallon and Russ Ponth each had an RBI and Baskin-Robbins scored four insurance runs in the sixth inning to notch a 9-3 win over Jack in the Box.

Ponth was credited with the pitching win, tossing all seven innings adn recording 10 strike outs. For the losers, Greg Bruce and Marty Savceda each had a pair of hits.

St. Mike's scored three times in the bottom of the seventh but it wasn't enough to overcome LLLRA, the latter pulling out a 12-10 win.

Rocky Decafano was 4-for-4 on the day for St. Mike's and had four RBI, but the losers made eight errors in the field and could not recover from that performance.

Jack Trudeau struck out 13 and fashioned a one-hitter as Columbus Realty walloped Serv-Pro 14-2.

Trudeau added three hits and four ribbies to his mound win while Rich Mueller knocked across two runs for the winners. John Petlansky and and Mark Wagner each delivered a pair of hits for Columbus.

*Rec softball*

# Fil-Circle bats explode

Fil-Circle Club Inc. belted 16 hits in taking a 9-7 victory over Soul Connection in Livermore Area B League men's softball action.

Mario Jimenez and Jud Lahti each had three hits for the winners. Lou Pades and Jim Villar each added two hits.

A four-run rally in the seventh inning gave Fil-Circle the victory.

Larry Nadeau blasted a double to score two runs and the winners cruised in from there.

Gralyn Rieberson, Mike Aarte, Jim Brown, Dave Paulson and Donald Whatin each had two hits for the losers.

Soul Connection took a 3-0 lead in the first inning but Fil-Circle gradually caught up.

Farmers' Insurance took a decisive 22-6 win over Kings' Brigade.

Dick Williamson belted a home run and two singles to spark the winners. Corey Knapp also had a grand slam homer and single for Farmers.

Philip Chubb added a double, single and scored once for the winners.

Bob Cuesla smashed a seventh-inning home run for the losers. Woody Witkoski and Tom Morris each had two singles for the losers. The losers collected eight hits.

Robles Concrete edged Red Baron 8-7, scoring four times in the last inning for the victory.

The losers jumped off to a 5-2 lead in the opening inning, as Bob Cantrell blasted a grand-slam home run. Robles collected nine hits and the losers had 11.

Larry Cassidy and Jeff Wallace each had two hits for Robles.

Mutual Service smashed 16 hits in taking a 10-6 win over Round Table Pizza.

Dennis Murphy was the big bat for the winners, smashing two home runs and a single. Stan Glover added a single home run and a single. Al Weber, Fred Cariss, Paul Brown and Ron Franklin each added two hits for Mutual Service.

Tim Malone and Gene Marsh each had two singles for the losers. Joe Goralka reached base twice on errors and scored two times. The losers had 10 hits.

# Jensen won't be re-hired

BERKELEY (AP) — Jackie Jensen, former star with the Boston Red Sox, will not be rehired as head baseball coach at the University of California for the 1978 season, athletic director Dave Maggard said today.

"After discussing the situation with Jack, I have decided that it is in the best interest of the UC baseball program that a change be made prior to the start of next season," Maggard said after a morning meeting with the former American League MVP.

Under Jensen, the Golden Bears recorded a 109-95 overall record in four years. Their Pacific-8 Conference record was 29-46.

"The total baseball program has not been as active as I would like it to be," Maggard added. "Jack's departure is a combination of things and certainly the won-lost record is a factor in the decision."

Jensen was an All-American in both baseball and football during his college career at Cal, which he cut short to play with the Oakland Oaks. He was MVP in 1958 with the Red Sox, when he batted .281 with 31 doubles, 35 home runs and 122 runs batted in.

Maggard said no replacement would be named before late June.

by Associated Press

# United holds registration

The Pleasanton Ballistic United Soccer CLub will hold its final 1977 soccer registration for boys with birthdates anytime in 1959 through 1971 Saturday, June 4th from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. at Walnut Grove School's multi-purpose room.

Later registration will be by waiting list only.

One parent or guardian must accompany the boy to registration. Registration fee is $18 per boy with a $36 limit per family, payable by check or money order only.

Primary medical insurance is mandatory and included in the registration fee. Booster Club memnership will also be available.

Fathers are invited to sign up as coaches and-or referees. New parent participation is needed each year in order to maintain the programs' growth and assure that there will be room for every boy who wants to particpate.

Information will be available at registration regarding clinics, especially for persons unfamiliar with the game.

Additional information regarding registration may be obtained by calling 846-7168.

# Cal stars to compete in AAU meet Sunday

Several key members ot the UC Berkeley track team, including the man chosen yesterday as the Northern California university division track athlete of the year, have registered for Sunday's Pacific Association AAU meet at Diablo Valley College.

The announcement was made this morning by Hank Patton of the Pacific Association. He noted the registration of the Cal stars came immediately before the deadline last night, and lifts the total number of participants in the meet to well over 200.

"Erv Hunt (Cal track coach) called me and said he had a club he'd like to put into the meet," Patton said. "He said he's like to run some kids through, give them a good workout."

**LEADING THE BEAR** contingent into the DVC facility will be Andy Clifford. He's entered in his specialty, the 800 meters, which he's run at a rapid 1:49.2. Clifford also entered the 1500 meters in the AAU-sanctioned meet hosted by the Pacific Association and the City of Concord.

He was selected at yesterday's meeting of the Bay Area Track Writers Association as the athlete of the year. At the same meeting Derald Harris of Los Medanos College (who will not be available for Sunday's meet because of an injury), was tabbed junior college division track athlete of the year.

Joining Clifford at DVC will be 12 of his Bear teammates, including the Berkeley sprint team of Wesley Walker (10.4 in the 100 meters), Keith Taylor (10.4), Holdan Smith (10.4) and Bill Burrell (10.6).

All are entered in the 100 meter event, with Walker (21.0), Taylor (20.7) and Burrell (21.4) entered in the 200 meters.

Paul Wallace will take his best time of 46.3 in the 400 meters against a strong field. Joining Clifford in the 800 is Dan Berry (1:50.4).

**CAL'S 5TEEPLE** team of Damon Wood (8:58), Hal Schultz (9:01) and Jerry Blum (8:56) figures to dominate that event. Carl Florant will bring his 13.6 time in the 120 high hurdles into town, along with shot putter Paul Santiago (58 feet 1).

### Local golf

**PLEASANTON FAIRWAYS**
**Ladies group**
**Husband and Wife tourney**

**First flight** — Juanita Warner, 45-16-29; Dorothy ranker, 45-16-29.

**Second flight** — Beverly Brown, 46-18-28; Nancy Yavorksy, 48-16-32.

**Third flight** — Darlene Sweet, 48-19-29; Jean Mattson, 49-19-30.

**Fourth flight** — Helen Swass, 49-23-46; Jean Leach, 51-23-28.

**Men**

**Closest to the Hole** — Bob Crall.

**First** — Bob Crall, 33-7-26.

**Second** — E. P. Renick, 38-11-27.

**Third** — Dick Ranker, 39-11-28.

**Fourth** — Joe Pacheco, 36-18-28.

**Fifth** — Dennis Yavorsky, 36-18-28.

**Sixth** — Bill Brown, 36-18-28.

**Booby Prize** — Hank Adasiak, 59-12-47.

**Ladies group**
**Net and Putts**

**First flight** — Dorothy Monaco, 16; Coral Renick, 41-12-29.

**Second flight** — Frances Sperbeck, 16; Dorothy Ranker, 46-16-30.

**Third flight** — Marlene Morehead, 18; Darlene Sweet, 48-19-29.

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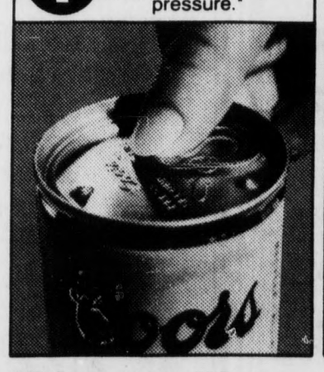

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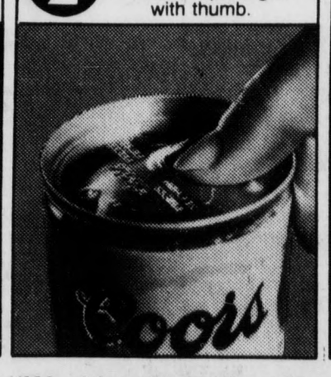

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## Dining Out

# Burger blitzkrieg abounds

A hamburger war is flaring out there and no one is immune. Ground beef blitzkrieg engulfs the globe. If you don't believe it visit the McDonald's a block from Shakespeares tomb, or the one near a cane field on remote Kaui.

It's a multi-million dollar battle waged on a number of levels. There's a might-makes-right camp firing fusilades of Whoppers and Big Macs. It must withstand Secret Sauce chemical warfare.

Duck, or you could be hit by shell fragments from a sesame-seed bun.

Clearly there is a superstrata dominating the industry. A few, key burger powers have clowns and child screen stars on the payroll, and they write their own anthems. Unfortunately, their specialities taste pretty much the same.

If you really want to have it your way, the local, independent burger maker is still best. Prices are usually higher, and the corner hash house may not offer the antiseptic atmosphere of a fast-food conglomerate dealing in mega-burgers, but it's still worth it.

If you haven't planned lunch yet today, here are two.

Bob's Giant Burgers, at Pleasantan Plaza on Pleasanton's First Street, and The Happy Hound on Hartz Avenue in Danville are blessed relief from assembly-line burgers.

There are drawbacks. Bob's jams up with people at noon making it wise to phone in an order sometime during breakfast. The Hound offers faster service, but also a jukebox full of primal screams.

Minor nuisances, however, if you fancy ground beef that isn't pre-fabbed.

Essence of a Bob's Giant cheeseburger is a sauce that's no secret. It has mayonaise tang. Unlike it's mass-produced brethren it isn't akin to cheap bottled salad dressing.

At Happy Hound the specialty is a cheeseburger with bacon stripped over the top, a delightful combination weakened only by limp lettuce that's easily removed.

One ingredient moulds the character of each burger — onions. If you like them sweet and mild, order the Bob's Giant cheese. If you prefer to be knocked off the stool in a fit of aromatic frenzy go for the Hound Burger — they serve them red and thickly sliced.

Price of each is in the $1.50 to $2 range, but the beef patties weigh in at approximately a quarter pound. What's more, the buns aren't steamed atop an automobile radiator, so the price is fair.


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Anita Huperz

## Meet Anita

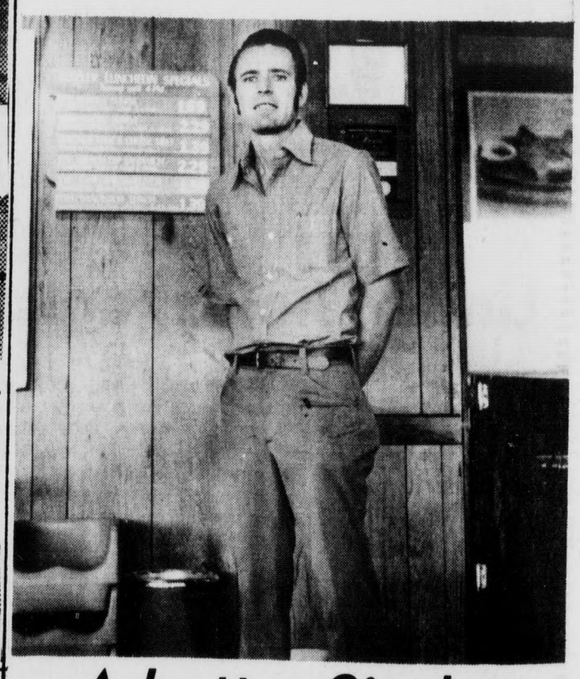
Anita Huperz is the manager of Anita's Sub Shop, a newly-opened sandwich shop located at 7000-J Village Parkway in Dublin. Owned by her parents, Ellen and Rudy Huperz, the shop features a variety of sandwiches, salads, beers and wines, some with a German highlight. Phone orders can be made by calling 829-2760. The shop will remain open throughout the Memorial Day weekend.

## Prime Rib in demand at Jack's

LIVERMORE — Cactus Jack's Restaurant manager and resident sheriff, Norm Strehle, has a different kind of announcement to make this week: He and his wife LeAnn are now the parents of a brand new baby boy, born Tuesda and named Daniel.

Otherwise, Norm tells us the Prime Rib Dinner is at an all-time high in demand from the patrons at Cactus Jack's. Another entree also gaining rapidly in demand is the chicken dinner. This fine meal consists of four pieces of chicken, garlic bread, choice of baked potato or french fries and full use of either the soup or salad bar.

Cactus Jack's is now open from 11 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Sunday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday.



## A better Sizzler

Things are changing at the Sizzler, and all for the better. Manager Herb Slack tells us that the new system includes an expanded luncheon menu with at least six specials every day, and the Family Night Dinner special is now being offered for three nights (Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday) instead of one. In addition, they are now offering complete table service with waitresses to serve you Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings from 5 p.m. until closing.. Herb says this is just the beginning and more new services and specialities will soon be added. The Sizzler is located at 3060 Pacific Ave. in Livermore, across from the library.

## Steak is popular at The Burger Pit

DUBLIN — The Dublin Burger Pit reports that the Western Steak is becoming more and more popular, particularly on the weekends. The meal includes garlic bread, a choice of baked potato, french fries or chili.

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The Burger Pit is open Sunday through Thursday 11 a.m. to 9:30 p.m., Friday and Saturday from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. They will be open all day on Memorial Day. The restaurant is located at 8000 Amador Valley Drive in Dublin.

# Nixon: Step down agony

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former President Richard M. Nixon says he would have preferred "the agony of a trial" to accepting a presidential pardon that he knew made him look guilty. But, he said, "there was no chance whatever I could get a fair trial."

His mood alternating from bristling anger to turn-non-turnoff smiles, Nixon spoke about his final days in office, the pardon, "contemptible journalism," and Spiro T. Agnew, in a television interview Wednesday night.

He described Agnew as "an honest man... a courageous man," a victim of liberals' double standard in the political system, a man who made mistakes.

He agreed with interviewer David Frost that "in some ways" resignation was a fate worse than death and that it had been a shattering experience.

The fourth interview, winding up the current series, ended with Nixon saying ruefully, "We have to live with not only the past, but for the future... whatever it brings, I'll still be fighting."

"Resignation meant life without purpose as far as I was concerned," Nixon said. "No one in the world, and no one in our history could know how I felt. No one can know how it feels to resign the presidency of the United States.

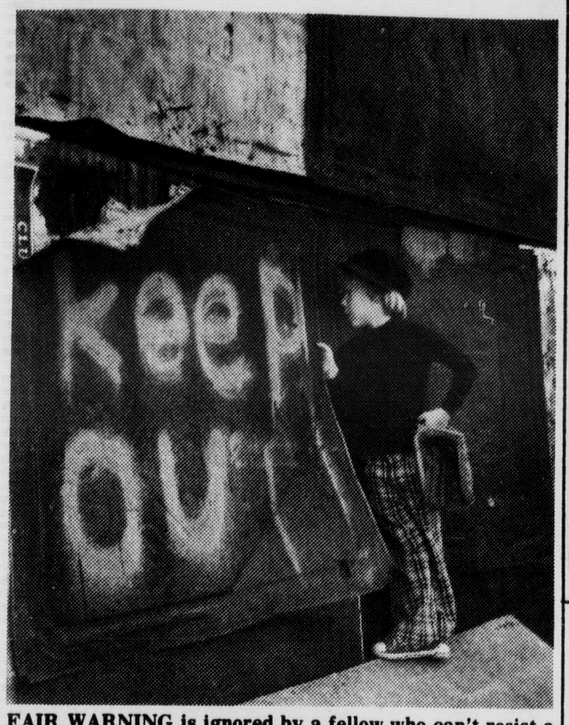
"Is that punishment enough?" Nixon said with strong feeling. "Oh, probably not."

To the question, "Did you, in a sense, feel that resignation was worse than death?" Nixon said:

"In some ways. I didn't feel it in terms that the popular mythologists about this era write; that, well, resignation is so terrible that I better go out and fall on a sword, or take a gun and shoot myself ... I wasn't about to do that. I never think in those terms, suicidal terms, death wish and all that. That's all just just bunk."

Without mentioning them by name, Nixon spoke bitterly about reporters Bob Woodward and Carl Bernstein, authors of the book, "The Final Days."

With tight-lipped anger, he called their book "contemptible journalism," while admitting he had read only stories about the work rather than the book itself.



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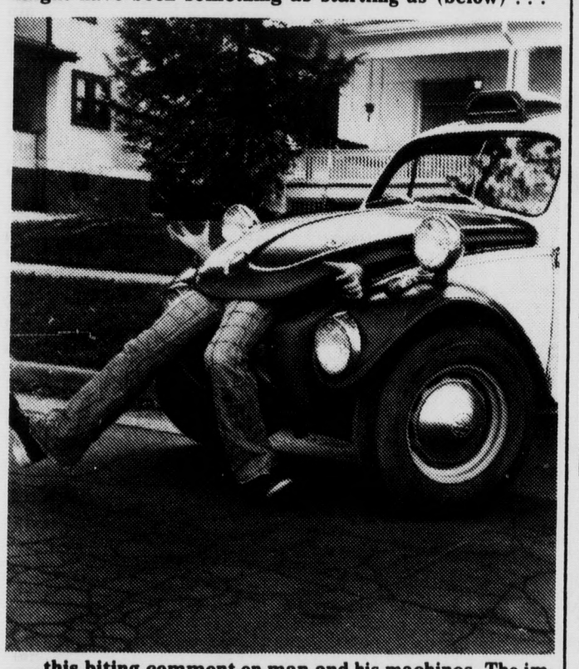

**. . . this biting comment on man and his machines. The imagination that went into this "Hungry Bug" shot paid off for Colleen Gowin, 10, of Lincoln, Neb., with a second prize in the Camp Fire Girls Photo Competition sponsored by Kodak. Top photo won honorable mention for Piper Jackson, 13, of Wichita, Kans.**


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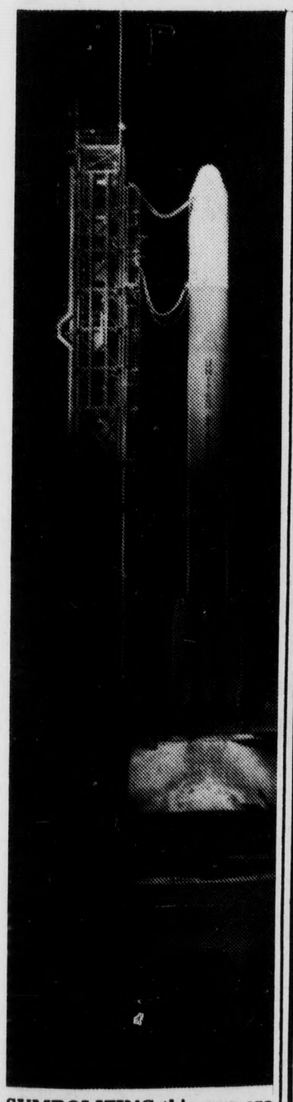

SYMBOLIZING this new era of ever-expanding space exploration, a Delta 130 rocket is poised on a launch pad at Kennedy Sapce Center, Fla. The U.S. launch vehicle lifted the European Space Agency's GEOS satellite into a stationary orbit 22,300 miles about the equator. GEOS' mission is to explore the planet's magnetic and electric fields.

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5 10 SUMMER SEMESTER
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6:20 7 COLLEGE BY T.V.
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7:00 2 CARTOONS
3 4 TODAY
5 CBS NEWS
7 11 13 GOOD MORNING AMERICA
40 HOWDY DOODY SHOW
7:30 10 7:30 A.M.
20 STOCK MARKET TODAY
40 CAPTAIN MITCH CARTOONS
8:00 2 BULLWINKLE
5 CAPTAIN KANGAROO
10 CBS NEWS
20 NEWS
40 ARCHIES
8:30 2 ROMPER ROOM
20 STOCK AND BOND REPORT
40 LASSIE
9:00 2 BIG VALLEY
3 TATTLETALES
4 SANFORD AND SON
5 KATHRYN CROSBY SHOW
7 A M SAN FRANCISCO
9 SESAME STREET
10 DINAH
11 IRONSIDE
13 MORNING SCENE
20 CORPORATE REPORT
40 FLINTSTONES
9:30 3 4 HOLLYWOOD SQUARES
5 PRICE IS RIGHT
20 REAL ESTATE REPORT
36 YOGA FOR HEALTH
40 LUCY SHOW
10:00 2 F.B.I.
3 4 WHEEL OF FORTUNE
7 11 13 HAPPY DAYS
20 VILLA ALEGRE
36 PUBLIC AFFAIRS
40 MOVIE "Daddy Long Legs" 1955 Fred Astaire, Leslie Caron. Millionaire playboy arranges to anonymously sponser the college education of a French orphan.
10:30 3 4 SHOOT FOR THE STARS
5 10 LOVE OF LIFE
7 11 13 $20,000 PYRAMID
36 MIKE DOUGLAS
10:55 5 10 CBS NEWS
11:00 2 PHIL DONAHUE SHOW Guest: Tony Curtis.
3 4 NAME THAT TUNE
5 10 YOUNG AND THE RESTLESS
7 11 13 SECOND CHANCE
44 NOT FOR WOMEN ONLY
11:30 3 JOKER'S WILD
4 CHICO AND THE MAN
5 10 SEARCH FOR TOMORROW
7 11 13 FAMILY FEUD
44 NEWSTALK
11:55 36 NEWS

**AFTERNOON**

12:00 2 THAT GIRL
3 4 5 10 NEWS
7 11 13 ALL MY CHILDREN
9 WOMANTIME AND CO. "Where Do We Go From Here?"
20 700 CLUB
36 MOVIE "Riff Raff" 1946 Anne Jeffreys, Pat O'Brien. The stirring intrigue of a search for a stolen oil field survey in Panama.
40 DICK VAN DYKE SHOW (EX-C.FRI.)
44 LITTLE RASCALS
60 NOTICIERO 60
12:15 60 EN LA BAHIA
12:30 2 MOVIE "Missing Guest" 1938 William Lundigan, Paul Kelly. A quick-witted reporter investigates a haunted house which has just been re-opened and finds himself in the middle of two murders and a missing guest.
3 PHIL DONAHUE SHOW Guests: Suzuki Orchestra.
4 DAYS OF OUR LIVES
5 10 AS THE WORLD TURNS
9 COOKING NATURALLY "Whole Wheat Lasagne"
40 ANDY GRIFFITH SHOW
44 LEAVE IT TO BEAVER
60 UN CANTO DE MEXICO
1:00 7 11 RYAN'S HOPE
13 CROSS WITS
40 MOVIE "Along The Great Divide" 1951 Kirk Douglas, Virginia Mayo. A lawman battles the elements in the Mojave to return a prisoner for trial.
44 BEVERLY HILLBILLIES
60 FANFARRIA FALCON
1:25 36 NEWS
1:30 3 MARY HARTMAN, MARY HARTMAN
4 DOCTORS
5 10 GUIDING LIGHT
7 11 13 ONE LIFE TO LIVE
20 HI DOUG
36 MOVIE "Tread Softly Stranger" 1958 Diana Dors, George Baker. Beautiful hard-boiled blonde sets two brothers against each other and the world to win her favors.
44 GOMER PYLE
60 HOGAR DULCE HOGAR
2:00 3 4 ANOTHER WORLD
5 10 SPECIAL "After Hours" Soap opera stars get a chance to show off their musical talents in a one - hour variety show.
9 PALLISERS
20 EL AMO
44 HUCK AND YOGI
60 EL DERECHO DE LOS HIJOS
2:15 7 11 13 GENERAL HOSPITAL
2:30 2 PORKY PIG AND FRIENDS
44 POPEYE
3:00 2 MIGHTY MOUSE AND BUGS BUNNY
3 DAYS OF OUR LIVES
4 CROSS WITS
5 TATTLETALES
7 11 13 EDGE OF NIGHT
9 INTRODUCTION TO BUSINESS
10 PRICE IS RIGHT
40 THREE STOOGES
44 BUGS BUNNY AND FRIENDS
60 JACINTA PICHIMAHUIDA
3:25 36 NEWS
3:30 2 ARCHIES
4 MERV GRIFFIN Guests: Hal Linden, Elke Sommer, Alan Sues, Donna Fargo.
5 MIKE DOUGLAS
7 MOVIE "Samson And Delilah" Pt. I" 1951 Victor Mature, Hedy Lamarr. Heroic adventure of Samson and Delilah based on the biblical story.
9 NEW DIRECTIONS IN COMMUNITY CARE "Agencies"
11 STAR TREK "What Are Little Girls Made Of?"
13 RYAN'S HOPE
20 VILLA ALEGRE
36 MOVIE "Crystal Ball" 1943 Ray Milland, Paulette Goddard. Texas redhead loses beauty contest, becomes enmeshed with loss of valuable ring and fortune teller.
40 BUGS BUNNY AND POPEYE
44 BRADY KIDS
4:00 3 MICKEY MOUSE CLUB
9 SESAME STREET
10 MIKE DOUGLAS
13 MY THREE SONS
20 EL PADRE DE MI BARRIO
40 GILLIGAN'S ISLAND
44 FLINTSTONES HOUR
60 MUNDO DE JUGUETE
4:30 2 GILLIGAN'S ISLAND
3 LUCY SHOW
11 ADAM 12
13 FAMILY AFFAIR
40 PARTRIDGE FAMILY
60 EL MARIACHI
4:55 36 NEWS
5:00 2 BEWITCHED
3 7 11 NEWS
4 IRONSIDE
9 MISTER ROGERS
13 ADAM 12
20 AZUL
36 MY FAVORITE MARTIAN
40 BRADY BUNCH
44 BRADY BUNCH HOUR
5:30 2 BEWITCHED
5 CBS NEWS
9 ELECTRIC COMPANY
10 13 NEWS
11 ABC NEWS
20 NOTI 20
36 GET SMART
40 HOGAN'S HEROES
60 NOTICIERO 60

**EVENING**

6:00 2 STAR TREK "Way to Eden"
3 NBC NEWS
4 7 NEWS
5 10 NBA BASKETBALL Championship game between Portland Trailblazers and Philadelphia 76ers.
9 ZOOM
11 MOVIE "You're a Big Boy Now" 1967 Elizabeth Hartman, Geraldine Page. A virginal young man is thrown out on his own to grow up and soon becomes involved with an actress and a discotheque dancer.
13 ABC NEWS
36 MOVIE "Back to Bataan" 1945 John Wayne, Anthony Quinn. A colonel forms a guerilla army on Luzon and leads raid on the Japanese.
40 STAR TREK
44 EMERGENCY ONE
60 LA USURPADORA
6:30 3 NEWS
9 OPEN STUDIO "The Margaret Ghost"
13 MERV GRIFFIN Guests: Earl Holliman, Lou Rawls, Connie Stevens, Johnny Dark.
20 CUANDO SE QUIERE SER FELIZ
7:00 2 ODD COUPLE
3 WEEKNIGHT
4 NBC NEWS
7 ABC NEWS
9 MACNEIL-LEHRER REPORT
40 MARCUS WELBY
44 ADAM 12
60 24 HORAS
7:30 2 LUCY SHOW
3 7 HOLLYWOOD SQUAR
4 PRICE IS RIGHT
9 NEWS
20 LA INOLVIDABLE
8:00 2 MOVIE "The Pawnbroker" 1965 Rod Steiger, Geraldine Fitzgerald. A pawnbroker who lost his family in the Nazi terror isolates himself in his Spanish Harlem pawnshop.
3 4 NBC MOVIE OF THE WEEK "The Lindbergh Kidnapping Case" Cliff De Young, Anthony Hopkins, Joseph Cotten. Drama about the 1932 kidnapping of the 20-month-old son of the world-famous aviator Charles A. Lindbergh and the subsequent capture of Bruno Richard Hauptmann, who was convicted of kidnapping and slaying the infant.
5 10 THE WALTONS
7 11 13 WELCOME BACK, KOTTER "The Museum" An automatic lock in a museum's Egyptian tomb is accidentally tripped, trapping the Sweathogs and Mr. Woodman inside. (R)
9 MASTERPIECE THEATRE Episode three of "Poldark" finds Ross allowing Verity and Captain Blamey to use Nampara Hall for their secret trysts, unwittingly setting the scene for an outbreak of violence that further alienates Ross from his family. A drunken encounter with Elizabeth and Demelza also adds to Ross's troubles.
36 MOVIE "Smokey" 1946 Fred MacMurray, Bruce Cabot. Man's love for a horse and the woman who shared his heart.
40 MOVIE "Love is A Ball" 1963 Glenn Ford, Hope Lang. Self-appointed matchmaker destines an heiress to marry a duke.
44 MAVERICK
60 MOVIE "El Ultimo Tartutho"
8:30 7 11 13 WHAT'S HAPPENING!! "The Maid Did It" The boys decide to help out when Mama is fired by Mrs. Turner who accuses her of stealing a diamond ring. (R)
20 UNA VIDA PARA AMARTE
9:00 5 MOVIE "Rachel, Rachel" 1968 Joanne Woodward, James Olson. A frustrated schoolteacher, repelled by a lesbian encounter, has a brief unhappy affair with a man before moving on to new surroundings.
7 11 13 BARNEY MILLER "The Election" A rich man shoplifting lingerie and a pedestrian being hit by a flying toilet seat are Barney's problems on election night. (R)
9 AGE OF UNCERTAINTY "The Manners and Morals of High Capitalism" examines the colorful "robber baron" industrial capitalists of the late 19th century and their ideas on the making and spending of money. John Kenneth Galbraith considers how their attitudes still affect our society.
10 MOVIE "To Kill A Clown" 1972 Alan Alda, Blythe Danner. A couple whose marriage is on the rocks get trapped on island off New England coast by crippled, deranged Vietnam veteran.
44 DINAH Guests: McLean Stevenson, Chuck Barris, Shaun Cassidy, Beau Kayzer.
9:30 7 11 13 FIDEL CASTRO SPEAKS Barbara Walters will interview Fidel Castro.
20 PAPA Y MAMA
10:00 2 40 NEWS
7 11 13 ABC NEWS CLOSEUP "Madness and Medicine" Special examining the practice of psychiatry, and the controversy that rages around it, both within and without its ranks. The program will report via interviews and the filming of actual treatment on the effects of electric shock, psychosurgery and psychotropic drugs. Host: Howard K. Smith.
9 DOCUMENTARY SHOWCASE "Kitty Hawk to Paris" Marking the 50th anniversary of Charles Lindbergh's epic New York to Paris flight, this program traces the development of U.S. aviation from the Wright brothers to Lindbergh.
20 EL SHOW DE JOSE MENDOZA
36 MERV GRIFFIN Guests: Anson Williams, Redd Foxx, Bon Bons, Pete Barbutti.
60 EL BIEN AMADO
10:30 44 GROUCHO
60 NOTICIERO
11:00 2 LIARS CLUB Guests: Larry Hovis, Peter Lawford, Dody Goodman, Alan Sues.
3 4 5 7 10 11 13 NEWS
20 700 CLUB
40 ALL THAT GLITTERS
44 MARY HARTMAN, MARY HARTMAN
11:30 2 JOKER'S WILD
3 4 THE TONIGHT SHOW Host: Johnny Carson. Guest: Stephen Schneider (author).
5 10 THE CBS LATE MOVIE "Kojak: Loser Takes All" A pair of illicit lovers plan a multi-million-dollar heist. "Heatwave" 1974 Ben Murphy, Bonnie Bedelia. A young couple leaves the city during an intense heat wave with hopes of escaping the weather, but the mountain town they visit is no relief. (R)
7 11 THURSDAY NIGHT SPECIAL "The Geraldo Rivera Program"
13 IRONSIDE
36 MOVIE "The Scar" 1948 Paul Henreid, Joan Bennett. Ex-con murders doctor to assume his identity.
40 LUCY SHOW
44 ALL THAT GLITTERS
12:00 2 NEWS
40 MOVIE "The F.B.I. Story" 1959 Vera Miles, James Stewart.
44 NIGHT GALLERY
12:30 13 THURSDAY NIGHT SPECIAL "The Geraldo Rivera Program"
1:00 3 4 TOMORROW Host: Tom Snyder.
7 NEWS
11 MOVIE "The Mating of Millie" 1948 Evelyn Keyes, Glenn Ford.
36 MOVIE "The Grand Duel" 1974 Lee Van Cleef, Peter O'Brien.
2:00 4 13 NEWS
5 RIFLEMAN
2:45 11 MOVIE "New Orleans Uncensored" 1955 Arthur Franz, Beverly Garland.
36 MOVIE "The Lady and the Monster" 1944 Richard Arlen, Vera Ralston.
3:00 40 MOVIE "Badman's Country" 1958 George Montgomery, Buster Crabbe.
4:15 11 MOVIE "The Magic Carpet" 1951 Lucille Ball, John Agar.
36 MOVIE "Young and Willing" 1943 William Holden, Susan Hayward.
4:30 40 MOVIE "Strange Affection" 1957 Richard Attenborough, Jill Adams.

**Cliff De Young and Sian Barbara Allen, playing Charles Lindbergh and his wife, discover the disappearance of their infant son in a scene from "The Lindbergh Kidnaping" a movie recreation of the sensational crime of the 1930s, Thursday night at 8 p.m. on Channels 3 and 4.**

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# Dr. Joyce Brothers

DEAR DR. BROTHERS: Is it possible for a woman to be a gambling addict? I find it hard to believe, but my wife sure seems to be shooting my money on horses, numbers games or any lottery that comes along. She's ever bet on whether the kids will get to school on time, or on my boss' mood. Gambling seems to mean more to her than the family does. I once knew a man who had this problem, but I never heard of a woman being a gambler. I think she probably gambled with her own money when she worked but hid it from me. — D.B.

DEAR D.B.: If your wife is a compulsive gambler, and it sounds as if she is, you're probably correct in assuming that she hid her habit from you. We expect much more of women regarding saving money and holding the family together, and there is a much greater stigma attached to the woman who finds this difficult or who fails at the task. We more easily expect and accept a man who takes chances and risks.

Psychiatrist Dr. Robert Custer feels that a woman ultimately gets to the same desperation point as male gamblers do but it usually takes a woman longer. Given time, she'll end up in the same place, broke, in debt, and miserable.

Women start later. They usually learn from a male — a father, brother, husband or friend — whereas males generally learn at an earlier age from their peers. Regardless of sex, the compulsive gambler is a person who has a psychological need to gamble. Often, he or she is so caught up in debts and lies, that they're relieved to be discovered.

Your wife needs help. Contact a chapter of Gamblers Anonymous. They have telephone numbers that members can call if they feel the urge to gamble. They can provide the help your wife needs.

DEAR DR. BROTHERS: I dropped out of school because I couldn't make the scene. I hated it and the teachers. They made me feel I had no brains and I'd just fail in everything, so I split. My father who hasn't been around in eight years, blew his stack when he heard, because he thinks I'll be asking him for money for the rest of my life. He wanted me to go to college but I'm a good mechanic and I already have a job. I don't know what to do to get him off my mother's back. They're divorced and he blames all this on her. — S.T.

DEAR S.T.: Try to set up a date to talk with your father and explain your point of view. Tell him about your plans for the future. He might even help you set realistic goals that would be rewarding and satisfying to both of you. Make sure he knows that what you did was your own decision, not your mother's.

If you've given your father a chance to speak his mind, if you've truly listened to him, and he still doesn't understand, then you'll have to be patient and try to show him by your actions.

High school dropouts need not be failures. Many dropouts make good livings in trades that don't demand a high school or college diploma. Many dropouts have good minds, but simply don't deliver what the school wants. Many have finely developed mathematical minds. Some can take apart and reassemble intricate machinery but may make simple mistakes in arithmetic.

Don't close your mind to the possibility of education in the future, however.

# Dr. Lamb

## Impotence a real problem

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — My husband is 65. Until six months ago he could have sex every night. He has pains in his leg. The doctors say he has hardening of the arteries that could not be operated upon. They say he has several places that have blockage. I don't understand it but he was in the hospital and they put dye in his arteries. They sent him home and there was nothing they could do.

What has all this got to do with sex? Why can't he do it? It just won't work. He tries. I told him maybe he could get some pills to get an erection.

I have heard of men who have sex a lot longer than 65. Don't laugh at me as its not funny.

DEAR READER — No one is laughing because you are describing one of the specific causes for impotence. The dye injected into your husband's arteries enabled the doctors to see the nature of the main arteries to his legs. If there were just one area of blockage they could have put in a graft to detour blood around the blockage. With lots of blockage it is not possible. You can't increase circulation to the foot by a bypass in the groin if the arteries in the foot itself are blocked.

The arteries to the penis come from these same arteries in the legs. The obstruction may involve these smaller arteries and prevent an increase of blood flow to the penis to enable an erection. It is like blowing up a balloon. If you don't have any air to blow in it won't expand. The penis expands because of an increase of blood flow and if that can't happen there won't be any erection.

There has been a minimum amount of work done using micro-surgery to open up these smaller vessels and restore circulation and potency. More recently Dr. Harry LeVeen of Brooklyn, N.Y., has used an arterial graft (inferior epigastric artery) to bypass the blockage to the penis and restore circulation. He claims to have had good success with his procedure.

When he first tried it, he used a vein, as they use a vein to bypass blockages in the arteries to the heart. However, the vein expanded so much and let so much blood flow into the penis all the time that the individuals had a persistent maximum erection. He has not had that trouble with the small artery he uses now.

There are two other possibilities. Urologists can insert two flexible round silicone rods that provide a permanent but flexible erection. This is called the Small-Carrion penile prosthesis after the two doctors who developed it.

There are many other causes of impotency. To give you more information I am sending you The Health Letter number 3-12. Others who want this issue can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for mailing. Just send your request to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio city Station, New York, NY 10019.

# crossword

**ACROSS**

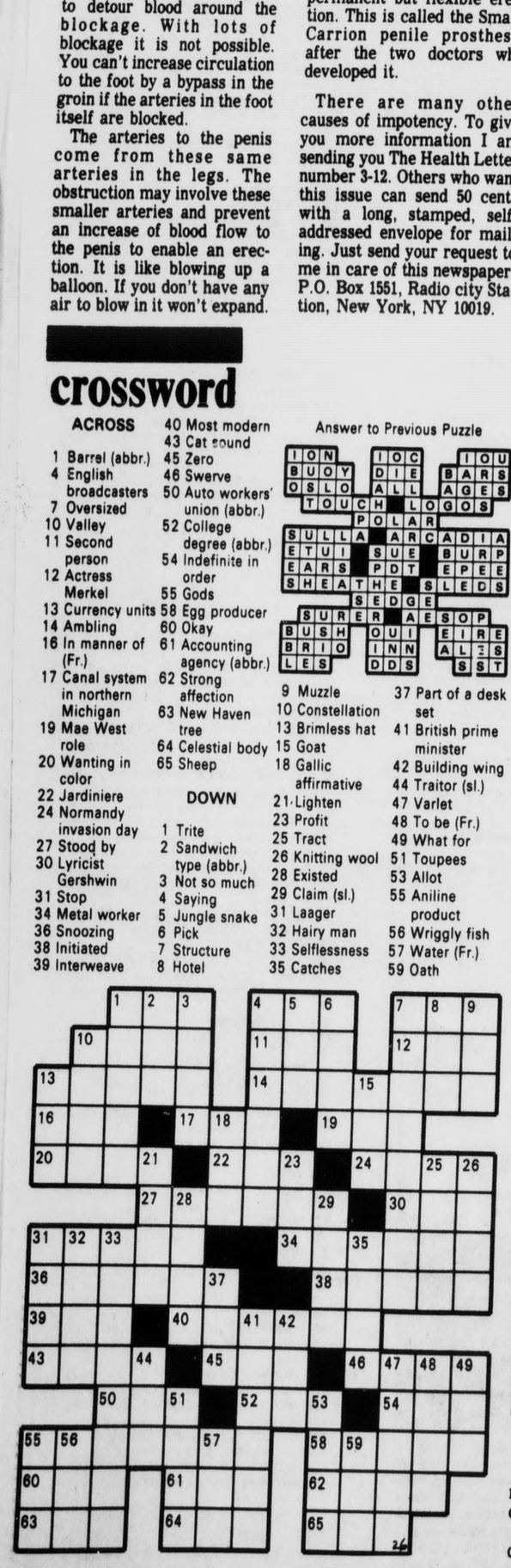
1 Barrel (abbr.)
4 English broadcasters
7 Oversized
10 Valley
11 Second person
12 Actress Merkel
13 Currency units
14 Ambling
16 In manner of (Fr.)
17 Canal system in northern Michigan
19 Mae West role
20 Wanting in color
22 Jardiniere
24 Normandy invasion day
27 Stood by
30 Lyricist Gershwin
31 Stop
34 Metal worker
36 Snoozing
38 Initiated
39 Interweave
40 Most modern
43 Cat sound
45 Zero
46 Swerve
50 Auto workers' union (abbr.)
52 College degree (abbr.)
54 Indefinite in order
55 Gods
58 Egg producer
60 Okay
61 Accounting agency (abbr.)
62 Strong affection
63 New Haven tree
64 Celestial body
65 Sheep

**DOWN**

1 Trite
2 Sandwich type (abbr.)
3 Not so much
4 Saying
5 Jungle snake
6 Pick
7 Structure
8 Hotel
9 Muzzle
10 Constellation
13 Brimless hat
15 Goat
18 Gallic affirmative
21 Lighten
23 Profit
25 Tract
26 Knitting wool
28 Existed
29 Claim (sl.)
31 Laager
32 Hairy man
33 Selflessness
35 Catches
37 Part of a desk set
41 British prime minister
42 Building wing
44 Traitor (sl.)
47 Varlet
48 To be (Fr.)
49 What for
51 Toupees
53 Allot
55 Aniline product
56 Wriggly fish
57 Water (Fr.)
59 Oath

Answer to Previous Puzzle





# win at bridge

NORTH (D) 25
♠ 2
♥ K J
♦ K Q 10
♣ K Q J 8 6 4 3

WEST
♠ K 10 3
♥ 10 8 6 2
♦ 9 6 4
♣ 9 7 2

EAST
♠ A 9
♥ 9 7 5 4 3
♦ 8 7 5 2
♣ A 10

SOUTH
♠ Q J 8 7 6 5 4
♥ A Q
♦ A J 3
♣ 5

North-South vulnerable

| West | North | East | South |
|---|---|---|---|
| | 1 ♣ | Pass | 1 ♠ |
| Pass | 2 ♣ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
| Pass | Pass | Pass | |

Opening lead — 2 ♥

By Oswald & James Jacoby

Sometimes you can apply restricted choice to high spot cards.

South wins the heart lead in dummy, leads the deuce of trumps and covers East's nine with the jack.

West takes the trick with the king and leads a second heart. South wins and must decide whether to lead the queen or a low spade.

The queen will be the winning play if East was dealt 10-9 doubleton. The low spade will work if East had been dealt ace-nine or had falsecarded from 10-9-3.

Neither play will work against a 4-1 break or if East held ace-10-nine.

Now, let's look at restricted choice. With both ace and king, West might well have won with the ace so it is more likely that East does hold the ace. With both 10 and nine East might well have played the 10 so it is more likely that West will now hold the 10. Hence, restricted choice applies to both defenders. In addition, there is that possible false card so the odds are overwhelmingly in favor of leading the low spade.

# astrograph

**For Thursday, May 26, 1977**

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Things should go favorably today, but some difficulties will surface. Trying to find shortcuts to make them easier would only create confusion.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Management is definitely not your long suit today. This applies not only to what you have, but to resources of others.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Don't be wishy-washy with those for whom you're responsible today. Being what you feel is extra-firm is preferable to being too lenient.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Letting your intuition and sensitivities dominate your actions today spells trouble. Do everything as logically and rationally as possible.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Conditions contributing to your material security are mixed today. In some instances you'll gain; in others you'll go down the drain.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** It's necessary to be an early bird today and take care of things on schedule. The longer you dawdle, the more you minimize your potential.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** This is definitely not a day to look gift horses in the mouth. Be grateful, not greedy, with persons who put themselves out for you.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** It's important to dispense your favors fairly today. If you reward the undeserving, someone's going to be very offended.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** You show initial alacrity in going after that which is important to you. Sadly, you're a poor stretch runner. Good things don't come easily.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Your initial assessment of situations is especially keen today. By letting second thoughts creep in, you raise doubts and neutralize your efforts.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Joint ventures are good at present, but not quite as spectacular as you may think. Anticipating too much may cause disappointment.

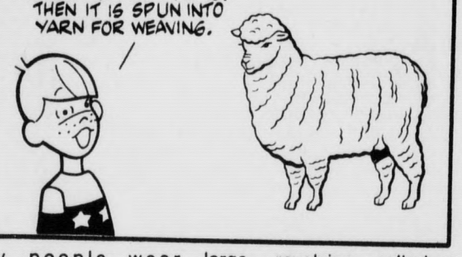
**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** It may seem more convenient to let others handle matters for you today, but they can only touch lightly what you could actively accomplish yourself.

## Johnny Wonder's QUESTION CORNER

**Q.** "HOW IS WOOL MADE INTO YARN?"

CATHY ANDERSON
MANOR, TX

**A.** AFTER THE WOOL IS SHEARED FROM SHEEP, IT MUST GO THROUGH MANY STEPS THAT INCLUDE WASHING, CARDING AND DYEING. THEN IT IS SPUN INTO YARN FOR WEAVING.



DICK ROGERS
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Many people wear clothing made from woolly sheep's hair. The coat of wool from a full-grown sheep is called a fleece.

Once a year the sheep are given a haircut and the thick fleece is sheared off, packed in bales and sent to market. On a big sheep ranch the shearing is often done with electric clipping machines.

When the wool arrives at the woolen mill, it is sorted according to fineness and length and washed to remove all the dirt and grease. The wool can be dyed after drying, or it may be dyed after the cloth is woven.

Next, the clean wool goes to a carding room. Here, large, revolving cylinders with wire teeth straighten the fluffy wool and comb it into a filmy sheet.

The carded wool is then drawn into soft, loose "ropes" called rovings. The wool rovings next go to the spinning room to be spun into yarn for weaving.

Finally, the spun yarn is threaded on weaving looms and woven into cloth.

*A World Almanac Globe, camera, radio, Johnny Wonder Puzzle Book or other fine prize to the first youngster sending a question used here to: Johnny Wonder (c/o this paper), Box 1335 (DA), Santa Cruz, CA. 95061. Include your age!*

THE FAMILY CIRCUS • By Bil Keane

"Stay away from the car while Daddy shuts its mouth."

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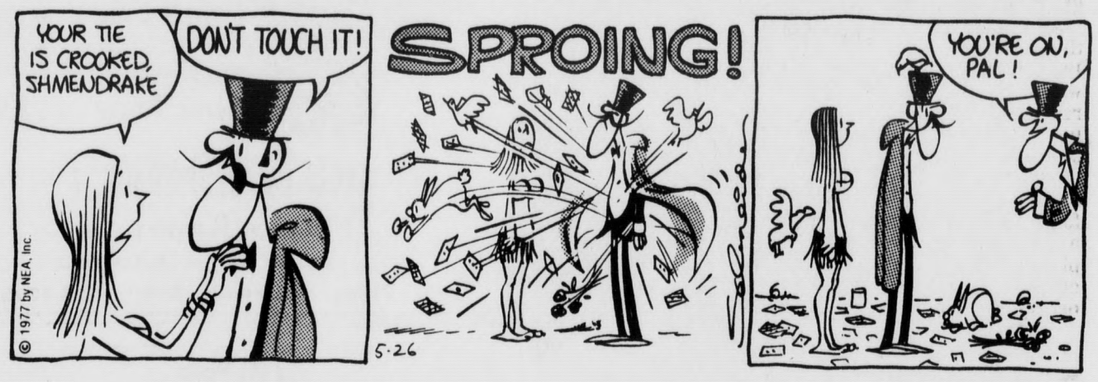


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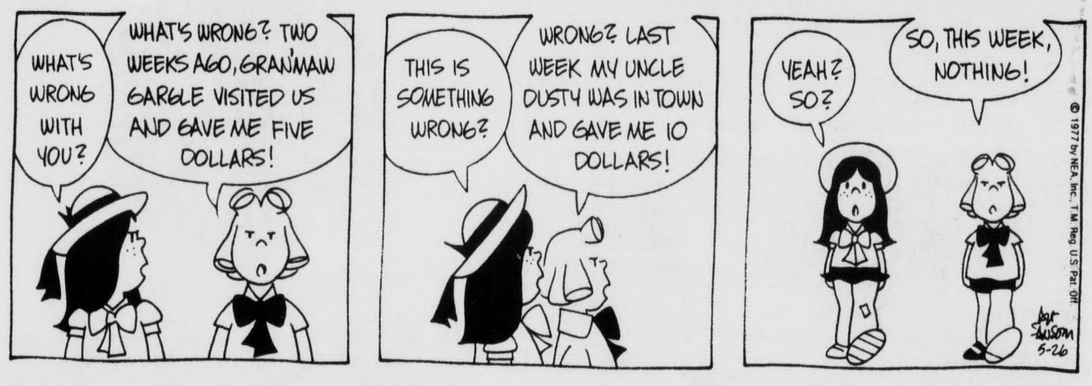
WHAT'S WRONG WITH YOU?
WHAT'S WRONG? TWO WEEKS AGO, GRANMAW GARGLE VISITED US AND GAVE ME FIVE DOLLARS!
THIS IS SOMETHING WRONG?
WRONG? LAST WEEK MY UNCLE DUSTY WAS IN TOWN AND GAVE ME 10 DOLLARS!
YEAH? SO?
SO, THIS WEEK, NOTHING!
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MOOSE MILLER

OUT, MILLER! GIT OUTA MY POOL!
MOOSE!...YOU FORGOT YOUR...
QUIET, CLARA!
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I'VE BEEN AFTER THIS DUCK FOR YEARS!
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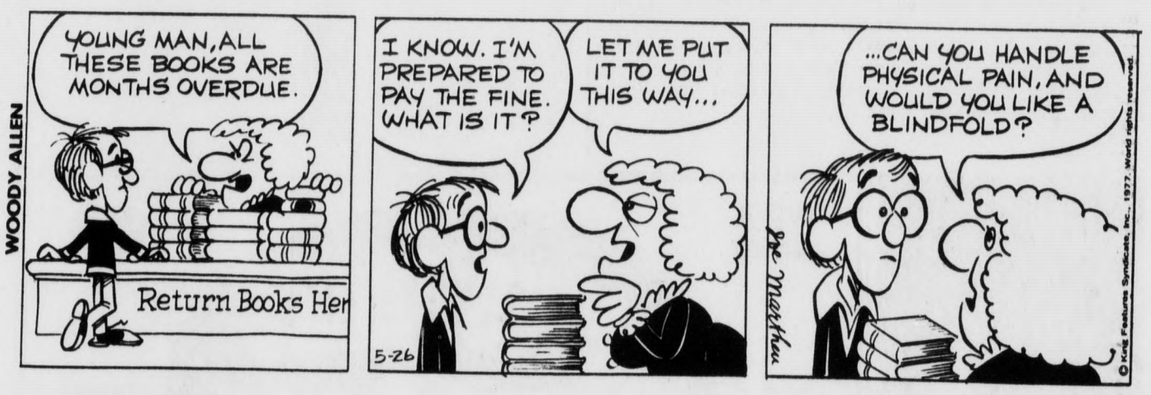
WOODY ALLEN


YOUNG MAN, ALL THESE BOOKS ARE MONTHS OVERDUE.
Return Books Her
I KNOW. I'M PREPARED TO PAY THE FINE. WHAT IS IT?
LET ME PUT IT TO YOU THIS WAY...
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# Big mental health cost jump seen

Lesher News Bureau

MARTINEZ — Preliminary budget figures show county mental health costs will reach $1.3 million next year if current level of services are maintained.

In spite of the projected increase, the state has notified the county that it will be allocated $100,000 less that it was in the current year.

Lew Pascalli, Mental Health Services administrator, said mental health programs will cost $14.1 million next year compared to $12.9 million this year. He pointed out there were no new programs or new employes in the preliminary budget.

County taxpyers will be picking up almost 15 per cent of the cost of the program or $2.2 million.

The state will allocate to the county $5.4 million in 1977-78. In 1976-77 the figure was $5.5 million. Cost of the remainder of the $14.1 million is paid for by federal sources.

The county's Mental Health Services provides for 12,000 patients. There is a staff of 230 county employes and other persons employed by agencies under county contracts.

The preliminary budget calls for increased salaries of 6.5 per cent; a 5 per cent increase in overhead costs; a 10 per cent increase in general overhead costs and an average 3 per cent increase for contract agencies.

The costs for providing day and residential care for mental health patients has not had a money increase in the last two years. He added that the agencies were still expected to take care of the same number of patients.

Claude Van Marter director of the county Human Resources Agency, said the contract agencies are a bargain.

"If all the contract programs were run by county employes the costs would be considerably higher," he said.

Pascalli said his department had very little control over the projected figures this coming fiscal year.

He explained that these costs include services from data processing civil service, public works and other county departments.

The preliminary budget was accepted by members of the Mental Health Advisory Board Tuesday.

# Critic says Pleasanton's Komandorski units sound

"I was dumbfounded. I can't believe what I saw there," said Thurmon Caudill.

The foremost critic of Measure C which will face voters told The Times last week that he was astounded at how well private developer Hal Boex refurbished old World War II housing and converted them into condominiums which sell for $18,000 to $22,000.

Caudill is very enthusiastic about Boex's project and believes it has direct application to Komandorski Village, which will be the subject of Measure C in the election May 31.

"The selling price in Vallejo is less than half of what the housing authority says it will cost to refurbish Komandorski Village," said Caudill, who is a retired carpenter and worked on the construction of Komandrorski Village in 1943.

Caudill was disappointed that when two local papers wrote up the housing authority trip to Vallejo, neither mentioned the extensive number of new things that went into the rehabilitation, things like new carpets, new stoves, new hot water heaters, and, in some units, new trash compacters. New 25 year roofing was placed on the 100 units refurbished so far and there were plenty of other improvements, too, said Caudill.

Caudill also is high on the $45,000 housing now on the private market in Tracy. That's a four bedroom home on an 8,000 square foot lot, he said. He thinks the housing authority is getting much less for a lot more money in building 150 new units at Komandorski Village.

Housing Authority Executive Director Michael Parsons has raised basic objections to comparing refurbishing Komandorski Village to the private Vallejo housing or comparing new public housing to the Tracy private market housing.

In the Vallejo case, the developer had better housing with which to begin, said Parsons. The wall studs, for example, were two by fours, not the smaller studs found in Komandorski. Rooms were bigger in Vallejo, redwood lumber was used inside, and there were a lot of other structural differences.

Caudill shoots back that structurally Komandorski is still okay and the walls are still in plumb, the roofs don't sag. They can be refurbished and not for the $8 million the housing authority claims, said Caudill.

Parsons feels the comparison to the Tracy housing is unfair. That's today's market, not the next year or two when Komandorski would be built. The Tracy homes are built to FHA standards, but they are not as strict as the HUD standards which public housing must pass, said Parsons.

Caudill's rejoinder is that the Tracy housing costs include the land, an expensive item with which the housing authority does not need to contend, since it already owns the Komandorski site.

Parsons claims that designing a new Komandorski Village from the ground up with its better insulation and site design will result in significant energy savings over the current project. Caudill claimed that's "a farce". He didn't get specific, except to say that "you don't get away from the wind, it hits houses anywhere you put 'em."

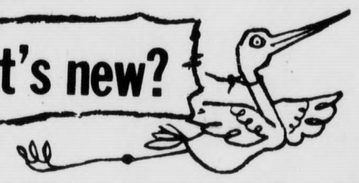
Caudill also claims that the new housing at Komandorski, with a an average density of 10 units per acre, would crowd people in too much. He claims such "crowding" has led to problems at Livermore's Leahy Square units.

"I had a son who lived in the old Vila Gulf, and a daughter who lived in the new Leahy Square and I know that people were happier there in the old units," said Caudill.

Parson's side of that argument is that Kottinger Place has an average density of 10 units per acre and there are no problems. It's all in how you design the village, said Parsons.

— by Ron McNicoll

## So, what's new?



LIVERMORE — Valley Memorial Hospital reports the following recent arrivals in their nursery:

April 22: Margarita and Antonio Valencia, Komandorski Village, Pleasanton and Dwain and Pamela Glossup, 6737 Melody Court, Pleasanton, boys.

April 23: Thomas and Cherrie Points, 2812 Carmen Ave., Livermore. a boy; Edward and Bernice Pacciani, 3118 Catawba Court, Pleasanton, Ronald and Mary Duley, 415 Thrasher Ave., Livermore and Donald and Elizabeth Debolt, 625 Main St., Pleasanton, girls.

April 24: Richard and Linda Moniz, 4060 Fallwood Court, Pleasanton, and Scott and Kay Lowe, 2549 Twin Creeks Drive, San Ramon, boys.

April 25: Robert and Gizelle Springer, 556 Emerald St., Livermore, a girl; Antonio and Deborah Parales, 37675 Fremont Blvd., Fremont, a boy.

April 26: Dennis and Patricia Rankin, 5151 Charlotte Way, Livermore and Michael and Dorothy Knowlton, 875 Rose Ave., Pleasanton, boys; Dale and Jeanette Giboney, 3679 Ashwood Drive, Pleasanton, a girl.

April 27: Nancy and David Burns, 5639 Hansen Drive, Pleasanton, a girl.

April 28: William and Jeanette Stang, 1063 Crellin Road, Pleasanton, and Roger and Bonnie Goodrich, 4067 West Las Positas Blvd., Pleasanton, boys.

May 14: Virgil and Sheryl Stanger, 874 Bower Court, Livermore, Terry and Marijane McCombs, 341 Lennox Ave., Oakland and Thomas and Joanne Vallely, 265 La Pera Circle, San Ramon, girls; John and Patricia Morse, 1093 El Dorado Drive, Livermore, and Patrick and Debprah LeCuyer, 1167 Sapphire Drive, Livermore, boys.

May 15: Peter and Lynn Zodtner, 6478 Randall Court, Pleasanton, and Randall and Melissa Vanderhoofven, 167 Amber Way, Livermore, boys.

May 17: Jerrold and Linda York, 1521 Mendocino Drive, Concord, Jay and Doreen Norris. 850 Palm Circle, Tracy, and Shirley and LeRoy McGraw, P.O. Box 27, Livermore, girls.

May 18: Donald and Betty Saulovich, 336 Yosemite Drive, Livermore, a boy and a girl.

Eden Hospital, Castro Valley, reports a girl born May 10 to Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Phillips of 52 Cameo Drive, Livermore.

# *Teen job plans spark response*

LIVERMORE — Response to the 1977 Summer Jobs for Teens program was described yesterday as "terrific" by city hall administrative aide Barbara Hempill.

Local applicants include 72 from Granada High School and 120 from Livermore High School, she said. "They are very eager to work."

The program is jointly sponsored by the state's Employment Development Department, the city and the school district.

An EDD representative talked with students at Granada May 19 and one is scheduled to visit the Livermore High School campus June 9 for interviews.

Hempill called the program "one for the average kid who wants a job."

Local EDD representative Nelda Means told The Times she has already started matching up youngsters with jobs, although she expects more applications and job offers to come into her office when school ends for the summer.

Applicants should visit the EDD office near Granada Shopping Center, 1783 Barcelona St., after June 1 when the new 455-HIRE phone will be installed. Businesses or private parties needing help on a one-time, part-time or full-time basis should call 455-6422 until the new phone is installed.

"We need employers," said Hempill, listing a range of jobs from restaurants and other shops to helping with dishes or doing chores for senior citizens.

She noted some expressed concern about insurance for household help and said homeowner policies already cover this aspect.

Casual babysitting, under 20 hours a week, is not covered under the minimum wage requirements, she added.

"We're trying to work this program into an ongoing one all year round," said Hempill.

# *Summer program*

The Contra Costa County Board of Education recently approved an application for $1,146,988 under CETA (Comprehensive Employment Training Act) to fund the Summer Employment Program for Disadvantaged Youth (SPEDY). The application was presented by Nick Gonzales, director of the Neighborhood Youth Corps.

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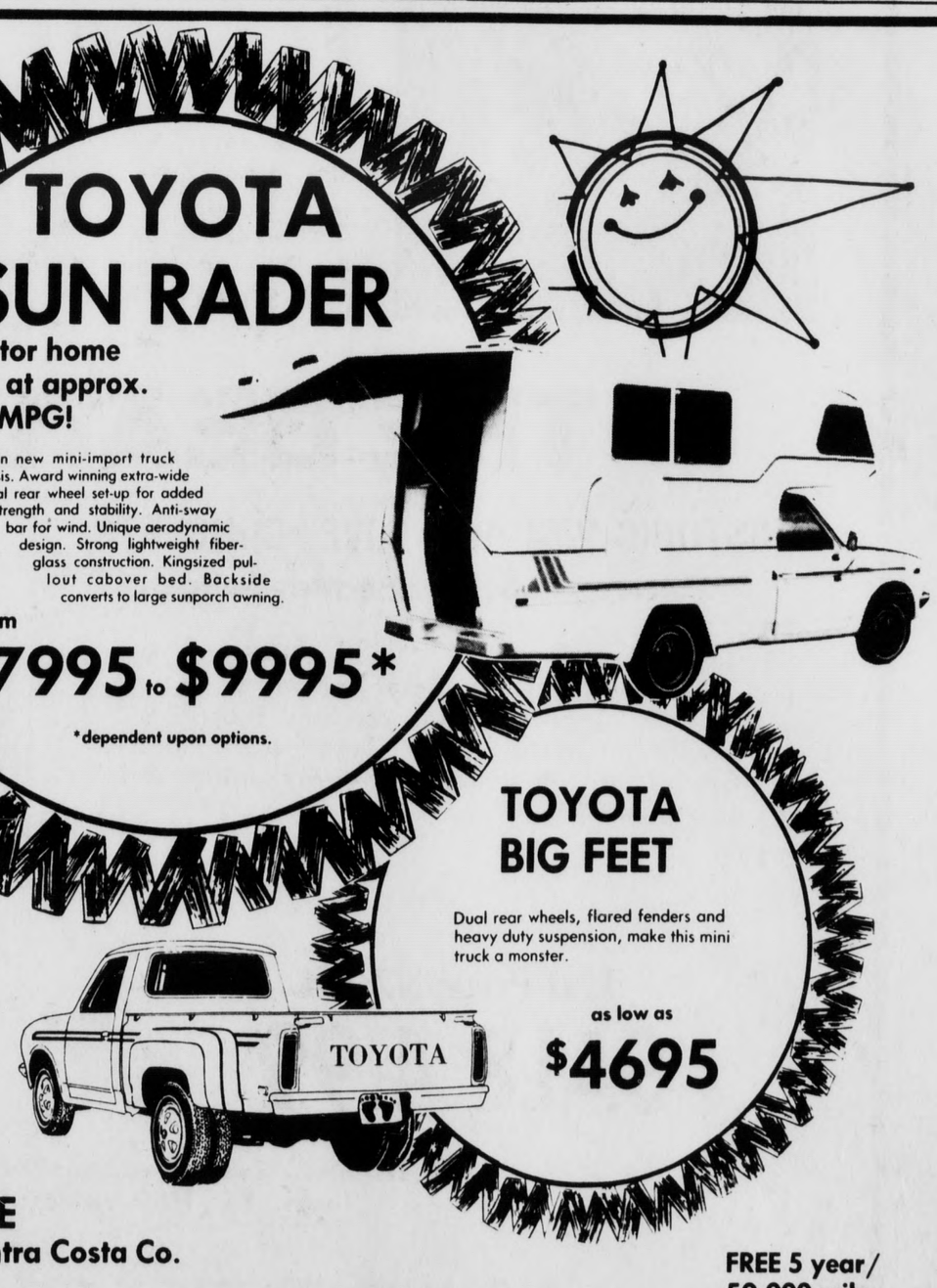

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# Van for elderly drive nears goal

LIVERMORE — Livermore Jaycees are in the home stretch of a fund raising effort that will net the Senior Center a 12 passenger van for the elderly and a five minute shopping spree for a lucky person in a local market.

The local civic group has spent the past few months selling raffle tickets for the super market sweepstakes and are approximately $1,500 from their goal of $8,000, according to Jaycee member Dick Jones.

The East Bay Community Foundation will provide a $2,000 grant if the local club can come up with the rest of the money, he said.

The project came about when Jaycees realized several senior citizens are unable to take advantage of the many programs at the Senior Center because of lack of transportation.

Even the LARPD-sponsored dial-a-ride could only accomodate so many, said Jones.

Guitar player and singer Scott Dougherty of Livermore will be plucking away in front of the Safeway market noon Saturday while the Jaycees sell more tickets for the raffle.

The drawing that day will also include certificates for groceries in amounts of $100, $75, $50 and $25.

Jones estimated the shopping spree could net the winner at least $500 worth of goodies. He said if a senior citizen wins, a substitute runner could beat the clock while garnering as much food as possible.

Jones said notable donations included an anonymous one for $3,600 and one from two girls who donated $5.07 in pennies.

He commended Kelly and Tisha Williams, 9 and 5, for "taking their hard earned pennies and putting it to this cause."

"People want to help the senior citizens," he said. "It all helps."

He said people could also donate accessories for the vehicle, such as air conditioning, two way radio or CB unit.

Tickets are also available at Ham's Printing on First Street or Dutro's Barber Shop.

# Bay Bridge toll up

**Lesher News Bureau**

OAKLAND — Tolls on the Bay Bridge will be raised to 75 cents following action of the Metropolitan Transportation Commission this morning.

The commission voted the 25 cent increase after considerable comment.

The only opposition came from Concord Mayor Richard LaPointe who said such a hike is not needed at this time. Among other things, he said, "People who have no access to public transportation are being sold down he river with this."

# Local funds not used for park purchase

LIVERMORE — A trend away from using local tax revenues for park acquisition was observed Tuesday when directors of the Livermore Area Recreation and Park District got their first glimpse of the preliminary budget for next year.

LARPD General Manager Bill Payne handed the directors a $2,187,185 budget which provided for normal inflationary rises in salaries over last year's $1,807,614 budget.

After each division chief explained the various sections of the budget, said Payne, Director Mike MacCracken took a moment for a brief analysis.

"If you look at the budget closely, you'll find a lot of money in parks, but that is mostly grant money," Payne echoed MacCracken. More of the local tax receipts have gone to specific recreation programs, he added, noting that only $20,000 would come from general funds this next year for development. And that is for new utility lines to the LARPD offices on Trevarno Road.

"We're not really reducing our efforts in the area of parks," said Payne. "It's just that we are getting grants."

Following the four-hour discussion, directors will be reviewing the draft document before offering possible changes at the June 8 meeting.

Payne expects final adoption of the budget in July.

# Ride BART bus free

**Alameda County Bureau**

OAKLAND — Valley BART users will get a double bonus from the rapid transit district this Memorial Day.

Not only will all one way fares be set at 50-cents, but feeder bus rides from BART stations will be free.

Patrons boarding BART Express Buses at any other point, however, will be charged the normal fare.

The "U-line" connects Livermore, Pleasanton and Dublin with the BART Hayward station; the "D-line" joins Dublin with San Ramon, Danville, Alamo and Walnut Creek.

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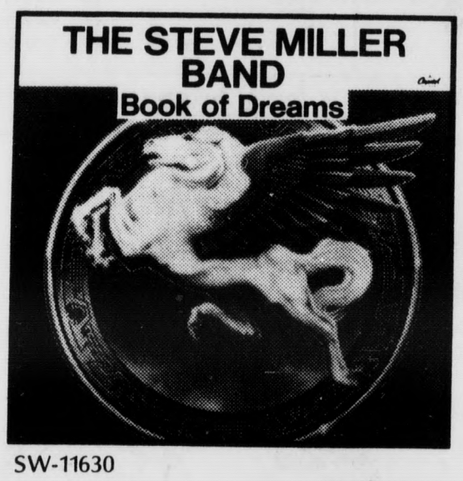


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